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day forenoon at 11 o'clock the [illegible] onvention for Clarke county, Washington, convened at Vancouver for the [illegible] placing a ticket in the field. The [illegible] persons were selected for the [illegible]

s A. Snodgrass was renominated for [illegible]

ounty treasurer Edwin Sparks was [illegible]

Stamp received the nomination [illegible]

representative, Mr George H. [illegible] aced in nomination

Tenney and F W Blair were nominated [illegible] ty commissioners

Ranck, the present incumbent, was [illegible] ted for probate judge

oroner, J O. Smith was nominated by [illegible] vention

e C Hitchcock was the nominee for [illegible] of the peace

convention then proceeded to [illegible] delegates to attend the territorial [illegible], but the names of these persons [illegible] earned

ounty ticket is said to be a red-hot [illegible] one, and the campaign promises to be [illegible] opical on that issue

An Important Question.

Boston Advertiser

form of currency is to take the place of [illegible] ional bank notes, which are now [illegible] aring under the influence of the [illegible] on 3 per cent bonds and the high [illegible] of the other government securities [illegible] a question whose importance is steadily [illegible] ng A leading Boston bank president [illegible] s that the future basis of national bank [illegible] ion shall be a reserve of gold amounting [illegible] er cent., and a first lien to the government [illegible] or the remaining 35 per cent. upon the [illegible] nd surplus of the bank.

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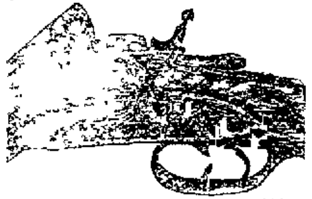

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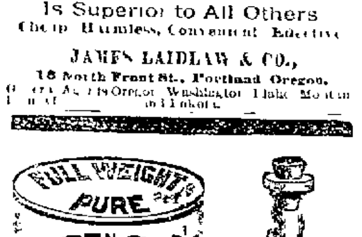

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FREE TRADE.

An Earnest Appeal to Friends of the Movement.

A STATEMENT OF THE ISSUE

An Effort to Carry the War on the Protectionists Into Congressional Elections—A Warning to the Old Parties.

NEW YORK, Aug 29.—The following address of the American free traders has been published:

To the Friends of Freedom:—The inability of the large democratic majority in the national house of representatives to pass a bill for tariff reform looking only to the removal of the heavy burdens of taxation from a few of the great industries and the refusal of representatives of the republican party and their allies to even consider an abatement of tariff taxation in any degree, imperatively calls for aggressive and uncompromising political action by the friends of commercial freedom. There can be no doubt that a majority of the American people at present acting with one or the other of the two great political parties are convinced of the practicability of [illegible] tariff reform and [illegible] of the [illegible] before the [illegible] policy of high [illegible] necessary taxation.

THE ISSUE

A clear statement of the issue between the protectionists and free traders is of itself a demonstration of the truth of this assertion. On one side the advocates of protection start with the assumption that under a free and republican form of government the power of taxation may be lawfully used to aid private enterprise and build up private fortunes. In the face of the now demonstrated facts, that such legislation benefits business and [illegible] [illegible]. For a long period this have reduced this assumption to practice [illegible] imposing heavy taxes on articles necessary to the processes of great domestic industries for the [illegible] [illegible] of special interests of very small relative importance to the material and industrial interests of the whole country. Thus for years past our tariff policy has been practically controlled by the manufacturers of pig iron and the growers of wool [illegible] the agricultural [illegible] of the [illegible] [illegible] of pig iron and wool production and the value of the egg and poultry crop of the country [illegible] compared with the value of [illegible] either hay, wheat, corn or cotton.

AN EXAMPLE

Emboldened by large toleration the demands of these special interests increase in audacity as shown in the recent proposition of [illegible] and their representatives to advance the duties on tin plate from one to two and a half cents per pound. This article is used largely for preservation by canning of an excess of our meat, vegetable, fruit, fish and oil products, which without such treatment could not be marketed but would be wasted. The present duty, freights and commissions added constitute a bounty which would cover the payment of double the wages paid in tin plate works in Great Britain, but as foreign manufactures are conducted at a minimum profit, the price of tin plates being the lowest ever known in history, the present tax is regarded as insufficient and Randall proposes, in spite of an overflowing treasury, to increase this tax to an aggregate of fifteen million dollars and collect it by adding to the cost of the preservation of meat, fish and fruit—decreasing our export market and increasing the cost of milk pans and other pans of every farmer, cooking utensils and dinner pails of every kind and the construction of every dwelling house and railroad car in the country—all for the benefit of a few iron manufacturers and capitalists in Pennsylvania.

PLATFORM OF THE FREE TRADERS

On the other hand the principle of the free traders may be simply stated as follows:

First—They demand that the whole system of federal taxation be reconstructed and readjusted so that all taxes which the people pay shall be received by the government without diversion of any part for fostering private interests.

Second—That the promotion and true protection of domestic industry is to be found in the removal of all taxes from articles which constitute the foundation or are necessary to the processes of our vast industries and that taxation be restricted, as far as possible to articles which are ready for final consumption and of which use is voluntary rather than necessary.

Third—They claim that abandonment of the present high, discriminating and unnecessary tariff taxes and the levy of a national revenue on comparatively few articles on which taxes can be collected with the least interference with the freely chosen pursuits of the people are necessary steps to gradually insure to the country full industrial employment and high wages, abundant production and low cost, extended markets and permanent revival of commercial activity.

EUROPE HANDICAPPED

The trade competitors of the United States are loaded down with debt and with the support of great standing armies which in turn entail a burden of taxation so heavy as to impair their resources and cripple the energies of their people and increase the cost of their products. To successfully make the race for trade with nations thus hampered it is only necessary that the people of this country adopt a tax policy diametrically opposite. Other nations must then disband their armies and set their soldiers to work with better wages and better subsistence than they now have to afford them any chance for competing with a country so rich in resources, intelligent and active in respect to population and so free in respect to government as is the United States. It is for such result that the American Free Trade league invites the co-operation of patriotic men of all political parties.

HOW TO SECURE FREE TRADE

The recent trial of strength in congress shows that the change of a single district in half of the states from the side of the protectionists to the side of the free traders is all that is required to reform the revenue system of the government. In more than this number of districts a change of less than 5 per cent in the vote will change the district. A comparatively small number opposed by conviction to the policy of taxation and restriction asserting themselves actively can thus produce the desired result. It is therefore easy to lessen taxes if the advocates of commercial freedom in anticipation of nominations to his congressional districts shall determine, and as far as possible publicly declare his determination not to vote for any candidate for congress who is not opposed to tariff for protection, except where it is necessary to defeat the election of an avowed protectionist opponent—a candidate who straddles demurs by catering to the monopolies and traders in special legislation on one hand while claiming support from the toiling taxpaying masses on the other. In what cases it may be best to put an independent candidate in the field and in what others to abstain from voting must be left to the free traders of each district to decide for themselves.

Added to this let every friend of the cause diligently strive to extend his local influence by the free use of sound economy literature and by promoting the organization of clubs of five and more persons in as many places as he can reach. Such systematic efforts require no large expenditure of money and need not be necessarily dependent on the direction of any central organization, but such an organization will exist and will be all the stronger from multiplication and co-operation of independent and in a large degree individual action.

A WARNING TO OLD PARTIES

It is thus possible that tariff reform may be accomplished by force of public opinion within both parties compelling the acquiescence of those in power. But if the continued efforts of the democratic party in congress, helped by liberty loving republicans to carry any practical measures of tariff reform continue to be met by the opposition of the republican party organization and its democratic allies, democratic and republican free traders must unite to destroy a party which can not carry its own principles, to be superseded by a new party of freedom and compel the advocates of restriction to join together in open field.

Our democratic form of republican government requires at least one great party having the courage of its convictions and ready to show itself a party by risking defeat in defense of its principles.

If the existing parties fail to face the vital issue of the day the organization of leagues will furnish the nucleus for wider party development that may prove necessary for the present independent action in congressional districts will accomplish every purpose. The American free trade league have reason to believe that where they are not absolutely in a majority the number of free traders in most of the congressional districts is sufficiently large to hold the balance of power between the candidates of the two great political parties and it only remains with these to whom appeal is now made to decide whether that power shall now be intelligently exercised so as to make it both feared by politicians and respected by statesmen. Let the first step be taken and the battle will be substantially won.

The address is signed by a large number of the members of the American Free Trade league.

EASTERN NEWS ITEMS.

PASSENGER STEAMBOAT BURNED

KINGSTON, N Y, Aug 29—At 5 o'clock this afternoon the large passenger steamboat Daniel Drew of the Albany line caught fire at her moorings at Kingston Point and burned to the water's edge. The Drew was held in readiness for use in case of accident to the other two boats of the line. All the furniture belonging to the boat was on board and nothing was saved. Just after the fire broke out a futile attempt was made by the crew of the steam yacht Charles A. Schultz to pull the Drew from the dock. The Drew, which was one of the largest and swiftest passenger steamers on the Hudson river, was built by Thomas Collier of New York in 1860. Her blackened hull sunk in the river this evening. Loss, $150,000.

BLAINE WANTS TO BE SECRETARY OF STATE

CHICAGO, Aug. 28.—Senator Sawyer said yesterday that he knew Blaine was not aspiring for the presidency in 1888, and never turned his finger for the nomination in 1884. Blaine, he said, never even spoke to his personal friends about the matter, and to prove this the senator said that after the election senators Frye, Hale, Miller and himself met in a cloak room at the capitol at Washington and all confessed that Blaine had not spoken a word to them about his nomination. "I believe," he added, "that Blaine did not desire Arthur or Edmunds to be nominated, for he knew then that he could not be secretary of state, which I know is his chief ambition, for he told me so. He said recently to some friends that he did not think of being or trying to be a candidate in 1888. He is the brightest and shrewdest man in the country to-day in the very front of American politics. His ambition is to be secretary of state and I believe he will try to see that the man is nominated who will make him such if elected."

CLEARING HOUSE RETURNS

BOSTON, Aug [illegible]—Special dispatches from the managers of the leading clearing houses of the United States [illegible] total gross exchanges for the week ending August 28th were [illegible] an increase [illegible] as compared with the corresponding [illegible]

THE CROP OUTLOOK

Reports from the Corn and Wheat Belts of the Mississippi Valley

[illegible] CHICAGO, Aug [illegible]—The Farmers' Review [illegible] says: Detailed [illegible] from [illegible] Ohio Indiana [illegible] which states there is promise [illegible] of average crop. This is in accord [illegible] with the report for the last three [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] to be in [illegible] [illegible] Hamilton county Nebraska [illegible] [illegible] Bureau [illegible] Webster counties indicate a fair [illegible] [illegible] and Richardson counties Nebraska the outlook [illegible] for less than one-half. [illegible] [illegible] improvement of 5 to 10 per cent [illegible] the general average of the [illegible] [illegible] is low for Iowa [illegible] 40 to 60 per cent. The [illegible] [illegible] per cent. The [illegible] [illegible] Dakota.

[illegible] [illegible] grading well [illegible] [illegible] winter wheat is from eight to twenty four [illegible] irregular [illegible] [illegible] Indiana Illinois and Wisconsin [illegible] [illegible] dry to permit [illegible] fall plowing and fears of drouth are still seriously felt.

[illegible] pastures unless relieved [illegible] stock will go into winter [illegible] condition.

[illegible] reported abundant in all the west [illegible] the exception of Wisconsin.

PRESS PITH

[illegible] —Texas Siftings

If Fitz John [illegible] have lived to hear himself expounded at Concord the world have been greatly mystified.—Burlington Free Press

In Oregon squirrels are so numerous that a bounty has been placed on their tails. The result is citizens are [illegible] the [illegible] of chickens [illegible]

The Indians originally owned America and would still own it had they gone into the liquor business when the first white man arrived here.—Philadelphia Herald

The claims of the anarchists that their aim was to elevate their fellow men is all right. What we object to is the stuff they wanted to elevate them with.—Lowell Citizen

Restaurant matron—I want you girls to fix up a little extra and look as pretty as you can. Waiter girls—Is the butter bad again? Matron—No, the meat's tough.—Omaha World

Meissonier was recently asked by a visitor for his opinion on the tendencies of modern art. "Art," he replied, "I don't know anything about art. I am not an art critic."—Boston Post

Some regret is expressed that the new silver certificates have no picture of an American citizen passing triumphantly through the Niagara whirlpool in a barrel.—Louisville Courier-Journal

Kentucky Colonel—Waiter, something to drink. Waiter—Yes sah, watah, sah? Kentucky Colonel—Young man, I said something to drink. I don't want to take a bath.—Kentucky State Journal

Oh, Mr Littleneck, this is just lovely. But can't you swing me the least tiny bit higher? You're not tired, are you? Oh, not at all—only the fact is I always have a light to lean on parallel at this time of day and its coming on now. [illegible]

Zachariah Curley was a cook on a steamboat and one time he had to appear in court as a witness. "What is your name?" asked the attorney. "Zachariah Curley." "What's your business?" "Steamboatin'—minding other people's business—an' gittin' no thanks for it." He got a dollar for his testimony.—Washington Critic

Grover No Dude

Pittsburg Dispatch

"Say, young fellow," called the president as he spied a correspondent behind a tree, "come here one."

The correspondent obeyed the mandate.

"Are you," continued the president, "the chap who sent out word that I had caught a speckled beauty?"

The correspondent admitted that he was.

"Now, see here," said the president, "I don't want you to do that again, young man. I just caught a trout, only a trout, you understand. I never catch speckled beauties. I don't want to have it get out around the country that I'm a dude."

And then the president assumed an expression as though he saw 1888 in the distance.

A Word About Lawyers

New York World

The members of the American Bar association convened at Saratoga have pointed out many defects in legislative methods and deliberated upon many more or less advisable reforms, but they have failed so far to discuss the subject of the moral obligations of the profession to society. There is a wide field for self-examination here. A debate upon the extent to which a lawyer is justified in devising ways and means for corporations to evade the spirit of the law and in securing the adoption of legislation to aid in compassing dishonest ends would be very interesting, but probably it is not discussed for the same reason that the colored preacher forbore to [illegible] on the sin of chicken stealing [illegible] it would frost such a congregation [illegible]

Status of the Democratic Party

Brooklyn Union (Mass.)

[illegible] the most significant fact made plain by these conventions is that the party does not comprehend [illegible] does not appreciate and approve the most important work done by the president by his sincerity as a civil service reformer, which is in fact the single positive piece of political work done this year and a half. The platforms, the temper and the whole bearing of these democratic conventions show that though the party is obliged formally to stand with Mr Cleveland, it is slow to learn the lesson so plainly taught and gives no reason why men who have lacked trust in its prudence and knowledge of public affairs should have any greater trust now than hitherto.

Everybody Quit at Once

Chicago Mail

Lady Montague once said in raising a glass of water to her lips, "If it was wicked to drink this, how sweet it would be." A Brooklyn church acted on the principle involved in this remark and achieved a great success. It tried every known means to have its members stop card playing without effect. It then decided and publicly announced that card playing was entirely right and a good religious pastime. Everybody quit at once.

New York as a Pivot

Philadelphia North American

It is a misfortune for the country that its affairs must be continually seesawed upon the political situation in the state of New York. That all the great issues should hang upon the ups and downs of intrigue, bargain, jobbery and corruption which appear as politics in the metropolis, and that the strength of both parties in the nation should be substantially paralyzed because of the necessity of finessing for the control of the one state, is a situation to be deplored.

Startling Progress

Philadelphia Times

Under the sworn statement clause of the new tax law one Pittsburg millionaire returns $90,000 [illegible] at interest in 1884 than all of Allegheny county returned in 1885 the county's total [illegible] against $1,10[illegible] last year. It's [illegible] few last people get rich in Allegheny [illegible] Natural gas of course.

How to Avoid Embarrassment

New York World

Jefferson Davis in addressing a convention at Mississippi [illegible] the other day opened his speech with "Brethren and fellow Mississippians," and lamented the fact that he could not say "fellow citizens." It was a rather awkward position [illegible] Jefferson might have avoided this embarrassment by not making a speech.

Folly in Different Ages

Philadelphia Record

The man who balanced the corn in one end of his sack by putting a stone in the other end before he carried it to mill, was wiser in his generation than the nation which taxes the crude material out of which it must make its metals and cloths and then hires men to count and pile up the tax money in its treasury.

Joseph Still There.

Union Sentinel, Aug 28.

Joe Simon is still there, gentlemen. What are you going to do about it?

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PACIFIC COAST.

The Canadian Pacific as a Competing Line.

ITS DISADVANTAGES DISCUSSED

Opinion of a San Francisco Daily on Yaquina Bay as a Terminus—A Narrow Escape for the Steamship Oregon

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug [illegible]—Much has been written about the Canadian Pacific railway, but little has been said or written regarding its capability of diverting eastern freight from overland railroads now operating in the United States. It has been announced by the general traffic manager of the Canadian Pacific that through bills of lading would be issued for freight consigned to eastern points and that this freight will be received by steamers now running to Victoria. This is a weekly service and hence there is a possible delay [illegible] San Francisco of [illegible] days. At Victoria the freight is transferred to a small steamer making daily trips to Port Moody, and it is calculated that at least twenty two days will be consumed in moving freight from San Francisco to, say, Chicago. The average time is ten days from San Francisco to Chicago [illegible] over the [illegible] routes. Cars loaded at San Francisco for Chicago and other eastern points [illegible] without transfer of freight, while by the Canadian Pacific freight must be [illegible] at Victoria, again at Port Moody and again at St Vincent, the frontier port at which it [illegible] the United States, [illegible] [illegible] check and identify the freight is a big item [illegible] from San Francisco. In addition to this there will be marine risk and the necessity for cartage, shipment at the custom house in San Francisco, which involves additional trouble and expense.

It is very probable, however, that in future the Canadian Pacific will receive its share of trans-Pacific business. In fact they have already received two cargoes of tea by sailing vessel from Yokohama, and it is understood that two more sailing vessels are en route to Port Moody with tea. From all accounts this movement of tea referred to has not affected the tonnage carried by the steamers of the Occidental and Oriental and Pacific Mail steamship companies, and therefore it is fair to assume that teas already carried by the Canadian Pacific are teas that heretofore were sent by the [illegible] sailing steamers. The average sailing time of a vessel between Yokohama and Port Moody is forty five days, while by steamer from Yokohama to San Francisco it is but sixteen days. It is the opinion of shippers that the eastern trade now controlled by direct overland routes cannot be very seriously affected owing to the difference in time and extra handling of freight which shows against the Canadian Pacific.

THE CANADIAN PACIFIC DOING WELL

NEW YORK, Aug 29—The Post's Montreal correspondent says: The success attending through traffic on the Canadian Pacific railway has been greater than the most sanguine friends of the enterprise could wish for. Notwithstanding the fact that its Pacific connections by sea and by land are not yet completed and that the through service has only been in operation for six weeks, receipts are far in excess of those of last year, which included over $1,000,000 dollars for transportation service in connection with the Northwest rebellion, while its net earnings are more than sufficient to pay a 3 per cent dividend and fixed charges. Great things are looked for with the completion of the Minneapolis, Sault Ste Marie & Atlantic railway, which is to connect the Canadian Pacific with St Paul via Sault Ste Marie. This will be the only direct route for cattle, flour and grain from the West to Boston and as short a line as any other to New York.

YAQUINA BAY

Opinion of the San Francisco "Post" of Its Claims as a Terminus.

SAN FRANCISCO, August 28.—In its leader this evening the Post says: Oregon newspapers are discussing the prospective completion of another trans-continental railroad having its terminus not at San Francisco or Portland but on Yaquina bay. There are three principal inlets available for commercial purposes on the coast of Oregon. The most northerly is the Columbia river, the second is Yaquina bay and the most southerly is Coos bay. On the bar at Yaquina there is now but eleven feet of water, and though the United States engineers report that the channel can be deepened to eighteen feet, it would require a very heavy outlay. What especial advantages Yaquina has for being the terminus of a transcontinental railroad it is hard to see at this distance. Nevertheless the Portland OREGONIAN states that it has direct assurance which it fully credits from heavy capitalists in the East that they are interested in the extension of the Oregon Pacific eastward across the Willamette valley, Cascade mountains and Eastern Oregon to Boise City, in Idaho, where it is to meet an extension of the Chicago & Northwestern railroad, which it is ascertained will be completed to that place during the next two years.

Experience, however, has demonstrated that trunk lines with termini in small towns, even if they possess good ports, are a mistake. The Atlantic seaboard lines have discovered that they must get into New York, if they wish to occupy first rank among the railroads of the country. Even the Southern Pacific, which was expected to make a great city of Newport News, is now seeking for New York connections. To attempt to create a great city at Yaquina bay and realize a great fortune out of speculations in real estate is an absurdly visionary scheme. Portland is and will remain the metropolis of Oregon.

A NARROW ESCAPE

The Oregon Runs on a Rock Near Alcatraz, but is Soon Floated

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug [illegible].—The steamer Oregon from Portland came into harbor yesterday with over 200 passengers on board. The weather was so thick outside that the vessel had to feel her way along. The vessel passed in through a dense cloud of fog and while going at the very lowest rate of speed suddenly struck. The shock was so great as to throw a number of those who were on deck walking about off their feet. The grating, grinding noise made when a ship strikes a rock was distinctly heard and before the startled passengers could think about the cause of the trouble the engine was run with increased speed and the steamer slid off sideways into deep water. The Oregon had struck upon Arch rock, an impediment to safe navigation which has several times resulted in losses of lives, vessels and cargoes. This rock is located about two thirds of a mile west of Alcatraz.

An officer of the Oregon said the vessel had not been damaged as far as known, but it would require an official investigation to settle the point. He also stated that if the vessel had struck a little further to the north the steamer and perhaps all on board would have been lost. It was so foggy he said that no distance could have been [illegible] [illegible] signals of distress could have been seen. There is no doubt that a strict inquiry will be made of the affair.

CALIFORNIA

FAILURE OF A SHOE FIRM

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug [illegible].—Announcement is made of the assignment of Hobart, Wood & Co, wholesale boot and shoe manufacturers of this city, to W H Chickering of the law firm of Olney, Chickering & Thomas, for the benefit of the firm's creditors. The liabilities are estimated at $180,000, assets $100,000. About one half of the firm's indebtedness is in Boston, where their paper is held for $53,000. The balance of the indebtedness is chiefly in this city. The heaviest local creditor is the Chinese shoe firm of Hue Kai & Co. The failure is attributed by the firm to the tightness of the Boston money market.

The Chinese firm of Hue Kai & Co is creditor for $[illegible],000. Hobart, Wood & Co had an agreement whereby they took one half the product of this Chinese factory. [illegible] & Co's bank is a creditor for about $25,000 and the United Working men Co-operative Boot and Shoe company for $7,000.

MURDERED FOR MONEY

Early this morning Eugene Guindon, [illegible] years of age, was shot and killed by George D Gardiner. Gardiner was arrested and lodged in prison. Robbery is supposed to have been the object of the murder, as Guindon's watch and purse were [illegible] when the body was found.

ARIZONA.

THE APACHES ROUNDED UP

WILCOX, Ariz, [illegible].—Col Wade has rounded up the Chiricahuas and Warm Spring Apaches numbering [illegible]. He has them under guard and unless some accident occurs carry out his plan of moving them out of Arizona territory. Captain Lawton is in close proximity to Geronimo, who has asked for better terms than unconditional surrender.

THE BULGARIAN REBELLION

ENGLISH DISTRUST OF RUSSIA

NEW YORK, Aug 28.—Tribune's cable special from London: The feeling in England during the last three days can only be described as one of intense solicitude for the personal safety of Prince Alexander. The English, who believe that Russia is capable of anything, feared foul play. News of the safe arrival of the prince at Lemberg produced an explosion of joy. English papers urge him to return at once to Sofia and resume the government, regardless of the wishes of Bismarck or anybody else. Nobody doubts that Bulgaria wants him back. The overthrow of the conspiracy which called itself a provisional government has been a triumph of democracy. The people of Bulgaria asserted their will, but Bismarck's regard for Bulgaria or her people is slight and his desire to save the susceptibilities of the czar is great. Whether Alexander can return or remain depends on the result of the conference between Bismarck and Delaiers. What the people here hope is that Bismarck [illegible] that cannot be for the peace of Europe or for the security of any throne that any government should come to an end by kidnapping or piracy, but Alexander himself may not care to return unless he obtains assurance of support.

ALEXANDER PROMISES TO RETURN

SOFIA, Aug [illegible].—Prince Alexander has telegraphed to the regency to announce to the people his intention of returning to Sofia. The rebellious troops here have submitted and will not be punished on condition that they quit the country. The revolution was quite bloodless and no opposition [illegible] feared.

ENGLAND

GLADSTONE'S HOME RULE PAMPHLET

NEW YORK, Aug 29.—G. W. Smalley's cable special to the *Tribune* from London: The appearance of Gladstone's pamphlet on the Irish question [illegible] political event of the first magnitude. The effect must be ultimately to dispose of the [illegible] [illegible] dispose of Gladstone. It is an [illegible] the constituencies and contains some [illegible] Gladstone himself evidently regards the occasion as similar to and not less solemn than that of 1868, when he was about to disestablish the Irish church, and of [illegible] when he rescued Bulgaria. On both occasions he published similar appeals. Nothing that ever came from his pen shows more animation, more youthful [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] than this last [illegible] [illegible] his whole future to home rule. What ever happens never can Gladstone desert the cause he advocates, of which he now declares was not the [illegible] [illegible] sudden conviction, but the result of the steady and continuous growth of his own mind. What the effect may be on English public opinion [illegible] remains to be seen. There is no sign that it likely to reconcile the affection of those liberals who renounced their allegiance to their leader rather than follow him into the home rule camp.

CORVALLIS NOTES

CORVALLIS, Aug [illegible]

Mr and Mrs H W Vincent resumed charge of the Vincent House to-day.

The Oregon Pacific received this week 100 box cars direct from the East.

Miss Nettie Spencer returned to East Port and to resume her duties in the public school.

Mr Jacob Senders, who was dangerously ill with [illegible] of the lungs, is much improved.

Mr S C McFadden has commenced the erection of an elegant residence on North First street.

Mr Thos Jeffreys has returned from Denver [illegible] to his old home to resume the practice of [illegible]

Mr [illegible], an attorney of this city, will soon remove to Portland to practice his profession.

Harvest is nearly over and farmers report the crops surpassing their most sanguine expectations.

Mr Will Leran, who formerly resided here, but later has lived in Eastern Oregon, is visiting friends in the city.

Mr Jas Bennett of this city, who has been employed on the Northern Pacific for some time, returned home last week.

Mr Wm Savage and wife of Salem, who have been visiting M S Woodcock for several days, left for the bay last Saturday.

We have it from reliable authority that the Oregon Pacific have no intention of removing the head office from Corvallis to Albany.

Mr and Mrs D Mansfield and party of Albany, who have been camped at Sleepy Hollow, Yaquina bay, passed through en route home Wednesday.

Mr and Mrs J F Irvine tendered their niece Miss Edith John a farewell party on Wednesday night, which was numerously attended by her friends.

Mr Will H Parry, formerly editor of the Messenger, has purchased the interest of Mr Charles Cole in the Corvallis *Gazette* and will hereafter conduct the same.

The several warehouses being built along the Oregon Pacific line are nearly completed. Mr James A Cauthorn of this city has leased them all for the coming season.

Mr Frank C Buell has been appointed general superintendent of the Oregon Pacific railroad, vice Mr H V Gates resigned. Mr Gates will remove to Eastern Oregon, where he will take charge of the Oregon Pacific construction.

Quite an event took place in this city last night in the way of a Chinese wedding, which was conducted in great splendor and in oriental style. A large number of ladies and gentlemen availed themselves of the pleasure of witnessing this rare and novel sight.

The inquest over the remains of Jas Brown, who was found on the Oregon Pacific track, developed the fact that he had been run over by the construction train. His head was lying on a tie and the rim of the wheels passed right over his forehead, crushing his head. No blame is attached to any one.

DAYTON W T NOTES

DAYTON, W T, Aug [illegible]

Miss Allie Malone of Portland is visiting with her parents here.

Jud Day, the druggist, has taken a trip to Colfax, Lewiston, Spokane Falls, etc., for his health.

Mr and Mrs W H Evans have gone to Boston, Mass. They will visit other points East prior to returning home.

Mrs Alice Green, daughter of Hon J K Rainwater, has gone to her home, Washington D C, after a prolonged visit among relatives.

Mrs J S Dorley of Walla Walla has been rusticating in this city for a few days, a guest of Miss Mary Jessie and Miss Emma McIteeny.

A B Cotton is visiting his parents in this city. Mr Cotton is the unfortunate young man whose right hand was blown off in the Central Alene mines about a year ago and two fingers of his left hand badly mutilated.

G A Cameron, formerly of the Depot hotel, has renovated and otherwise improved the Commercial hotel, which has stood idle for some time. The Commercial is a splendid fire proof building, and is a handsome structure.

Mrs Chisholm, after a prolonged visit among friends here, has started for Tacoma, her home. She was accompanied by Miss Lillie Brown, who goes for a visit and vacation. Miss Brown holds a case in the *Chronicle* office. During her absence Miss Maude Wilson will take her place.

D J Guernsey of Boston, Mass, has been visiting relatives here and seems highly pleased with this section. He has gone on a visit to Colfax and other points north on a tour of inspection and observation. Upon his report on his return will depend a goodly emigration from Massachusetts.

Last week Newt Gibson and [illegible] Halliday had a few words concerning the former's treatment of the latter from his employ. Halliday struck at Gibson several times but at last both clinched, resulting in a fistic and a fair fight. When the smoke cleared away Halliday found himself minus three-fourths of his ear, which Gibson had chewed off. No arrests, however, to date.

Dayton has lost a sudden boom. Its business is improving and strangers are continually coming in. New buildings are being erected and old ones remodeled. Eastern visitors are well pleased with the location and beauty of the city. A spirit of thrift and go-aheaditiveness is noticeable everywhere. Crops are excellent and farmers correspondingly in good spirits.

NOTES FROM YAQUINA

NEWPORT, Aug [illegible]

The South Beach hotel has been rented to C. B. Mays of the Summit house. Mechanics will be put to work to finish it up this fall.

Many of the seaside rusticators who have been camping here for the past few weeks return to-day to ply their several avocations for another year with renewed vigor and energy.

Real estate is quite active since the Chicago & Northwestern officials were here. The Stev[illegible] property was sold to-day for $[illegible] and several larger sales have been made in the past week.

Mr Will Simpson and wife, Miss Emma Dickinson and Will Killingsworth of Portland struck camp for home to-day. Last evening Simpson and Killingsworth killed 285 snipe with four shots. The snipe literally rained down.

The O. P. R. R. [illegible] is now opposite Ford's point and will be pushed some distance farther as rapidly as piling can be secured. It is the opinion of many here that this will materially change the channels, causing more water to flow through the south side.

Portland has contributed many pleasure seekers for Yaquina this summer. It is hoped that they are generally satisfied with our outlook and prospects, and that our claim for as fine summer resort as can be had north of San Francisco is well founded. The lack of hotel accommodations so annoying this summer will be remedied by the next season.

Yesterday a lady while fishing from the government jetty lost her hat overboard in the breakers. Mr Ed Parsons, the master mechanic of Danforth, Cook & Co's locomotive works and the gentleman who brought the engines—one for the O. P. R. R.—divested himself of his superfluous clothing, swam out and recovered it. The tide was at half ebb, yet he said he experienced no undertow.

THE CANADIAN PACIFIC TERMINUS

PORT MOODY, B. C., Aug 25

The Tredorlub will give a concert September 1.

The tea laden bark Flora B. Stafford is now forty seven days out from Yokohama for this port.

The Yosemite now runs on the Victoria Port Moody route and makes excellent time. She makes the round trip daily.

J. R. Fogan has resigned the management of the *Gazette* and after recruiting at the Harrison hot springs will return to the American side.

There are eight vessels now lying in the inlet for lumber cargoes. The Hastings mill is running a night shift, the first time in eighteen months.

The proposals for rebuilding the big railway wharf here with iron piles are expected back from Ottawa daily. The work is to be completed by November.

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CHICAGO SHAKEN.

Lightning Strikes a Powder Magazine in the Suburbs.

SURROUNDING HOUSES RUINED.

Several Persons Killed and Fatally Injured—The Shock Creates a Panic in a Church—A Scene of Ruin

CHICAGO, Aug [illegible].—At [illegible] o'clock this morning, in the midst of a heavy thunder storm, a powder magazine belonging to the Laflin & Rand Powder company was struck by lightning. An explosion followed which destroyed property valued at $75,000, besides killing one person almost instantly, fatally injuring four and contributing painful injuries to nearly twenty five others.

The combined efforts of a hard fought battle, a cyclone and the withering influence of lightning could not have presented more abject desolation and destruction [illegible] the country for half a mile in all directions from the exploded magazine. The day had opened gloomily.

At six o'clock rain began falling furiously from dense banks of cloud. Flashes of lightning were soon chasing each other across the western firmament until the [illegible] seemed [illegible] The thunder was deafening.

About [illegible] a flash which appeared [illegible] much brighter than those preceding it was followed by a report that shook the greater part of the city. It was a sharp report, but strange [illegible] by most of those who lived in the vicinity of the explosion it was hardly distinguishable from the series of thunder claps which had been the order of the morning. There was a tremendous shaking of the earth and articles of furniture in [illegible] were thrown about rooms [illegible] if they were playthings in giants' hands. Men, women and children were tossed around at will by the terrible [illegible] [illegible] by the explosion.

THE LOCATION

The scene of the catastrophe is about two miles from the extreme southwestern edge of the city, near where Archer avenue settles down into a conventional country highway. On one side wave great fields of ripe [illegible] grain, on the other a broad stretch of [illegible] [illegible] On this area or rather were a dozen plain but strong built houses with walls of yellow brick, roofs of slate and strong iron doors, and these houses were magazines in which the bulk of the powder supply for Chicago and territory dependent upon it was stored. Right in the midst of the magazine rose the home of M. J. Tierney, police magistrate of the town of Lake, in the limits of which corporation the warehouse stood. The house was until to-day an attractive looking home, two stories high with a spacious veranda in front and surrounded by a number of substantial outhouses. It overlooked Archer road about forty feet away.

Three hundred feet northeast of the Tierney residence was a little cottage, rudely built and surrounded by ruder sheds, stables and hog pens.

The magazine of the Laflin & Rand powder company was one of the largest of the dozen structures in the neighborhood. It was a substantial brick [illegible] [illegible] feet in dimensions, with a slate roof and an iron door of great strength. The magazine was [illegible] feet east of the cottage of John Guhl, and [illegible] feet from the residence of Mr Tierney.

THE EXPLOSION

When rain began to fall in the morning the people in the vicinity were all in doors, many of them prolonging their Saturday night's rest. An occasional wagon passing along Archer road was about the only sign of life outdoors.

Just preceding the explosion a long vivid electric flame seemed to burst from a cloud directly over the Laflin & Rand magazine. In an instant the air was filled with flying missiles. Masses of brick and clay, sheets of tin, large stones and pieces of timber performed indescribable gyrations hundreds of feet in air, some falling back close to the point from which they started, while others shot off through space with frightful velocity, only conforming to the laws of gravitation after a long flight. Stones weighing from one to 150 pounds were thrown into fields two miles from the scene, trees were stripped of their foliage, fences by the mile were laid low, telegraph wires snapped like fragile threads and the prairie bore seams as if worked by a thousand steam plows.

Not a building within a mile of the explosion escaped damage. The little cottage of John Guhl, with its surrounding outhouses, was laid low without warning and in a moment parts of the exploded warehouse began falling on the debris of the cottage. Guhl's family consisted of himself, his wife and Carrie Arhenwerth, 14 years of age. The latter was instantly killed, while Guhl was dragged from the ruins frightfully mutilated. His horses, cow and swine were all killed by the concussion and the bodies blown full of dirt and powder.

PANIC IN A CHURCH

The first shock of the explosion reached the Jesuit church of the Holy Family, where mass was going on. There were 3000 people at the services, who made an indiscriminate plunge for the staircase and windows. Men fell in heaps over fainting women and children and a general panic ensued. A great many women and children were seriously injured.

At the church of the Nativity, Thirty seventh street and Dashiell, another panic took place, and several were more or less injured.

The board of trade building, seven miles from the scene, was greatly affected by the disturbed condition of the atmosphere. Plate glass twelve feet square was shattered into fragments, the largest piece being no larger than a 50 cent piece. An electric light man who was in the tower at the time of the explosion states that the tower swayed so that he thought it would topple over. The electric lights in the Palmer house were extinguished and the building shaken from roof to foundation. A similar scene occurred at the Grand Pacific hotel. In the Union building, where is located the general offices of the associated press, several windows were broken.

THE DEAD, ETC

The ruins of Guhl's house immediately took fire and the frightened [illegible] turned out during the day.

The body of Carrie Arhenwerth presented a sickening spectacle. Half the face was torn away, the eyes were almost blown from the sockets and there was a gaping hole in the forehead large enough to receive a man's fist. The girl's left arm was torn from the shoulder. The body was removed to the home of her uncle, Arhenwerth, on California avenue.

The shock caved in two magazines of the Oriental Powder company and also those belonging to the Warren company, the Hazard Powder company's and the Forcite dynamite store house. The Laflin & Rand company's was the only one which exploded. Where it stood is now an immense excavation nearly fifty feet in depth.

The exploded magazine contained, it is estimated, 140,000 pounds of powder and half as much dynamite. In the neighboring ten storehouses was 600,000 pounds of dynamite and twice as much powder. Not one of the eleven buildings had lightning rods or conductors.

Directly south of the powder mill stood a little frame house of Mrs Elize Devine, aged 6[illegible]. The little structure had seemingly been crushed to atoms and a 300 pound weight lay on top of the ruins in which were found Mrs Devine. Her right leg was crushed into a shapeless mass and a large piece of glass had entered under the collar bone and was forced out through her arm pits.

Peter Kenn, a farmer, while driving past in a wagon, was immediately in front of the magazine when the explosion occurred. He was blown 200 feet into a corn field and frightfully injured. One of his horses was killed outright and the wagon reduced to bits.

The dead and fatally injured are: Miss Carrie Arhenwerth, killed instantly; Peter Kenn, a farmer, ribs broken and fearfully burned; John Guhl, teamster for the Oriental Powder Co., ribs fractured, right leg broken in two places and internal wounds; Mrs Guhl, skull crushed; Mrs Elize Devine, right leg crushed to a jelly, breast transfixed by a strip of glass.

Prices of Table Luxuries in New York.

Letter to Boston Globe

Green turtle brings 11 cents a pound, crayfish cost $3 50 a hundred, prawns are $1 50 a gallon. These are excellent with a plain dressing for a salad, combined with cresses or lettuce. Hard-shell crabs are very plentiful and $3 a hundred. Soft shell crabs are also abundant and first rate, but are not running large. They cost 50 and [illegible] cents a dozen. Picked crab meat is 45 cents a pound.

Woodcock are so scarce as not to meet the demand. They cost $1 5[illegible] a brace. Willet snipe weigh a pound each and cost 50 cents.

Plover birds are of the same weight and are also 50 cents each. English snipe cost $3 50 a dozen. Plover are very fine and $4 50 a dozen. In cooking snipe it is well to use their long pretty bills to garnish [illegible] Small birds which mean tiny snipe, and only a mouthful, are 60 cents a dozen. Capons bring 30 cents a pound. Milton fed turkeys weigh from 10 to twenty pounds and cost 20 cents a pound. [illegible] are sold with their heads and feet cut off, [illegible] are 14 and 1[illegible] cents a pound. Philadelphia spring chickens for broiling or roasting cost 20 and 25 cents a pound.

Long Island chickens are 1[illegible] and 20 cents a pound, and Maryland breakfast broilers weighing one pound cost 75 cents each. Stewing chickens are 15 cents a pound. Puca [illegible] fowls are 15 cents a pound. Scalded fowls cost 14 cents a pound. Ducklings are 20 cents a pound; these are very large, bony and tender in flesh. Goslings are 18 cents a pound and geese are 15 cents. Mongrel ducks bring 20 cents a pound. Squabs are $3 50 a dozen. Dark squabs cost $2 75 a dozen. Stall fed pigeons are exceedingly scarce; they are $4 a dozen.

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The Oregonian.

PORTLAND, MONDAY, AUG. 30, 1886.

THE STATE OF PARTIES.

They who make politics the chief subject of their thought are already beginning to discuss "the chances for 1888." Few of the prophets can see anything but another contest between Cleveland and Blaine. But this may be an instance of that phenomenon of vision that causes one who, after he has kept his eye directed for a considerable time on any conspicuous object, to have that object in his eye and seem to see it, even after the view is withdrawn. Most people can see large possibilities for 1888, that do not include either Cleveland or Blaine.

It is conceded by all intelligent and candid republicans that the chances of republican success in 1888 are exceedingly doubtful—more doubtful even than they appeared to be in 1884. This is not because the democratic party is stronger in itself, nor because it has the positive support of the country in greater degree than heretofore, for no one can say this of the democratic party. That party has indeed great positive strength in the Solid South, and a certain strength in the habit of a large mass of its members in the North of voting together on the party name; but it represents nothing of definite character, nothing that the country positively approves, and is strong only in the inability of its opponents to agree on a united course of action. The opponents of the democratic party criticise each other and criticise even themselves; and the reason why it is doubtful whether the democratic party will be beaten arises from the doubt whether its opponents can be induced to vote together.

The memories of the long political struggle that included the great war will keep the electoral votes of the South together yet these many years. The democratic party thus has the advantage of a positive and powerful ascertained quantity for every election. On the other hand the republican party has almost no uncontested electoral vote. Prohibition is perhaps more powerful at the South than at the North, but it is not going to interfere at the South with the democratic calculation of electoral votes; while on the other hand at the North it has already defeated the republicans in one presidential election, and very probably will defeat it in another.

Outside of questions that may now be called historical, there is no clear line of division between the republican and the democratic parties. On no possible question to-day can republicans be massed on one side and democrats on the other. Nine-tenths of the votes cast in the next presidential election will be cast on past issues, on differences now historical; most men who may vote for the republican candidates will so vote because they approve the historical record of the republican party as against the democratic party, as most who may vote for the democratic candidates will so vote because they have always disliked whatever was presented under the republican party name. In the administration of the government there will be no great difference, whether one party or the other administers it, and they who may vote in 1888 to turn the democratic party out of the government will so vote, in the main, because of their feeling against that party for the course it pursued during the long political struggle that included the great war.

But there are opponents of the democratic party who are devoting themselves to advocacy of new opinions and who want to force their opinions into prominence. Chief among these opinions is the question of prohibition. But this question, like tariff, civil service and silver coinage, cannot break up the historical basis of old parties. There are innumerable prohibitionists in the ranks of both the old organizations, but no very great number will come out, partly because the historical tie of politics is too strong to be broken, and partly because there is a doubt in the minds of so many as to the efficacy of the scheme for destruction of the liquor traffic, which the advocates of a distinct prohibition party profess. It cannot be doubted, however, that more republicans than democrats have a willingness to join in this experiment. The Southern democrat, though a prohibitionist, will do nothing to weaken his party; the Northern republican prohibitionist, assured that the great distinctive principles for which the republican party contended, and which it upheld during a quarter of a century, are permanently established, is eager now to push prohibition on third party lines. Yet the Northern prohibitionist who hitherto has been a republican, admits that his course will defeat the republican party and keep the democratic party, which is least inclined to legislate against the liquor traffic, in power. But the ultimate result, he believes, will be the triumph of the prohibition cause.

The only hope the democratic party can have of holding the government lies in the probability that its opponents will fail to unite and vote together. But this is a very well founded hope; with many democrats it is very positive calculation. Candid republicans too must concede that the calculation is very well founded.

"GENERAL WRECK."

The tail of the army of the tourist veterans of the Union army is just about disappearing over the mountains. It was as interesting an army as ever invaded our coast. Its elements were as various as those that composed the first crusade under Peter the Hermit, which, by the way, we believe contained more camp followers, in shape of boys, old men, infirm enthusiasts and non-combatants of all sorts than it did knights and men-at-arms. And still this invading army was not without a considerable number of real soldiers, who had smelt powder, besides a large number of generals who had manifested various degrees of aptitude for arms.

While it is true that every soldier is not a general, it is also unhappily true that during our war every general was not a soldier. The invading army of the tourist veterans of the civil war had stout old Gen. Sherman, who talks as well as he fought, and Logan, who unfortunately does not talk nearly as well as he fought. While dropping down from these towering military figures of the first rank, we find Gen. Fairchild, Gen. Beaver, Gen. Alger, Gen. Grosvenor, Gen. Burdette, Gen. Lewis, and last but not least we had "General Wreck."

General Wreck received his title since the war. During the war General Wreck was only Col. John C. Black, Thirty-seventh Illinois infantry, breveted brigadier general from March 13, 1865, but when the surgeons after the war examined him for a pension, they described Col. Black as "a general wreck," and awarded him a full pension for total disability, in order to have something upon which to maintain his new rank. But when Cleveland became president, he made General Wreck chief of the pension bureau, and one day in the senate, Ingalls, of Kansas, who has a fine sense of repartee, suddenly rose up and inquired how it was that Col. Black became General Wreck, and drew a pension for total disability, the only general officer who did draw such a pension, when he apparently was competent to earn a government salary of $5000 a year in addition to his pension for total disability. Senator Ingalls spitefully said that if Col. Black was competent to earn $5000 he certainly was not totally disabled, and that it was a fraud to give him a full pension as General Wreck; that if he was totally disabled it was a fraud to keep him at the head of a most important bureau as an army figure head, drawing pay for work he could not possibly perform if he was really General Wreck.

Senator Ingalls suggested that since the pension bureau had denounced the present roll as including a number of presumptively fraudulent pensioners it would be well to begin at the top and find out whether Col. Black really had any bottom or was really a bona fide case of General Wreck; that if he was competent to earn his salary of $5000 with his brains he ought not to draw a pension for total disability; that if he was not competent to earn any salary, because of total disability, he ought to step down and out of the pension bureau and make way for some war democrat who was not unable, because of total disability, to earn the salary attached to this office;—that is, Commissioner Black must either give up his pension as General Wreck, or General Wreck must give up his salary as Commissioner Black. This kind of talk from Ingalls was instinct as we have said with that playful humor and refined power of repartee which has made that genial joker from Kansas, famous, if not popular. However, it excited the curiosity of the Pacific coast to see and hear Gen. Black and to determine whether the remarks of Ingalls were merely born of spiteful wit and that spirit which would snatch a democratic angel from the skies, would roll a democratic soldier in the dirt to make a holiday for a republican senate, or whether Commissioner Black as General Wreck was really a pension fraud.

Commissioner Black has spoken repeatedly on this coast: he can speak very loud and very long; he has a voice as vital in its vibrant and versatile resonance as that of a steam calliope; he does not appear to have perfect control of his arms; he cannot gesticulate as wildly or furiously as he can talk, a fact that ought to excite for him the compassion of his countrymen, for it detracts something from the complete unity of his discourse when a man who can "holler" like a loon cannot wave his hands above his head, snatch the stars from the skies, and steal the azure robe of night as a winding sheet for his red-headed rhetoric. Commissioner Black would like to do all this, but he can do enough with his voice to satisfy anybody who ever heard him that he is no more General Wreck, because he cannot perfectly command the use of his arms, than the sensational Corporal Tanner is General Wreck, because he has lost the use of his legs, since both of them are in the grave.

Still, in justice to Commissioner Black it should be said that while physically he cannot fairly pose as General Wreck he is not far off mentally from the point of General Wreck. A man who, replying to the question whether the flag was lowered on the Indian department in honor of ex-Secretary Thompson, who tried to send yellow fever and fire into our great cities, fervently said, "No; the flag never was lowered on the *capitol*," who answers the question, whether all the battle flags captured in the war have been concealed in the cellar of the war department; whether all the Union inscriptions have been removed from the government buildings and public works, by a burst of bitter invective upon any man who asked him political conundrums among a company of Union veterans;—such a man, in our judgment, is not unfairly described as mentally entitled to a full pension for total disability as a General Wreck. Commissioner Black has the voice of Mars wounded in the belly: his general bodily health appears to be good, but the lack of brains in his discourse ought to justify the surgeons who gave him a full pension for total disability as a "General Wreck."

A RETRACTION.

It is now explained that there was a mistake as to the Mitchell whose recent amour at Washington city was the subject of so much talk in the newspapers. It was reported that a member of congress named Mitchell was attracting attention to himself by the attentions he was paying to an actress; and the natural supposition was that our Hipple-Mitchell was the man. Reputation goes a great way. But it turns out that not Senator Hipple-Mitchell, of Oregon, but Representative Charles Mitchell, of Connecticut was the Orlando in pursuit of this Angelica of the stage. The writer of the original statement says: "It was a case of mistaken identity. Another gentleman named Mitchell should have credit for the gallant and appreciative act." But the affair as related was in every way so characteristic of our Hipple-Mitchell that the correspondent's mistake was entirely natural. Mitchell made himself ridiculous by storming about it; he got a reporter to declare that he "took the author by the throat," and with loud indignation declared that "the man who would send such a slander over the country ought "to be debarred from the profession of journalism; and he "demanded the publication of a retraction," etc., etc., of which the result was the explanation whose substance is given above. Now we note that by an organ or two of Hippleism in Oregon grevious doubt has been expressed whether THE OREGONIAN would "do Mr. Mitchell justice" and "set this matter right." Of course THE OREGONIAN will,—or rather it has done so; and now it must add the remark that it is quite superfluous on the part of Mr. Hipple Mitchell to simulate any indignation about his Washington affairs. It touches his honor, if he has any, nothing at all in comparison with the publications made by THE OREGONIAN last winter and proven by his own letters;—and then he took nobody "by the throat" and demanded no "retraction," but contented himself simply with a lot of whimpering denials that every person knew were so many barefaced lies.

PROTECTION OF FORESTS.

We are told that a gentleman interested in the preservation of our forests will prepare and have presented in the legislature to meet this coming winter a bill designed to prevent the fires which range over the country every summer. It is assumed, and justly no doubt, that four fires out of five spread from fires started by settlers among the foothills in their "clearings;" and the proposed law will be in the nature of a regulation, limiting and prescribing the time for firing "slashes." The interests of the country demand that no fire be set out before the 10th of September. There is abundant time after that date before the rains come on to burn out all clearings, and if after that date a fire should escape bounds and extend into surrounding forests it could last but a week or two weeks at most. There is now no regulation, and the firing of slashes is simply a matter of convenience, accident or caprice. Fire once at large in the mountains continues, and grows through the whole summer and till the fall rains, desolating wide spaces and destroying timber worth many thousands of dollars. The proposed law would make no hardship to anybody, and if it failed to stop altogether the ravage of fire in the mountains, it would at least prevent many fires and limit the damage. An incidental advantage would be protection against the smoke which clouds the air from early July to September and robs our best season of beauty and comfort.

To secure enforcement of the proposed law, severe penalties for its violation will be prescribed in the form of fines, with a moiety to informers. It is suggested, too, that our legislature memorialize the legislature of Washington territory to enact a similar law, without which our law would fail of one of its purposes.

The Chinese laborers evicted from Douglas island, Alaska, and afterwards returned there, came down by the Alaska steamer which arrived at Port Townsend two days ago. Mr. Treadwell, superintendent of the mine in which they were employed, thought it better to send them out of the country rather than put them in the way of further outrage. In one sense the mob has succeeded, but it has gained no advance since the work formerly done by Chinamen has been given to Indians.

During the six years since July 1, 1880, according to state censuses compiled by the *Railroad Gazette*, the population of the United States has increased 9,800,000, giving a present total of 59,961,000. The same ratio of increase being maintained during the ensuing four years, will give to the country in 1890 a population of 66,300,000.

Political tourists are expected to babble about "the Chinese curse." At the same time every person of sense knows that Western Oregon and Western Washington would get infinite advantage from the labor of 25,000 Chinese, employed for twenty years in clearing their lands.

Two brothers named Taylor are running against each other for the governorship of Tennessee, one as a democrat, the other as a republican. And now it is said the prohibitionists will nominate the father of the two candidates for the same office.

Minneapolis lead St. Paul greatly in taxable wealth, the proportions being (in round numbers) one hundred millions for the former and eighty millions for the latter.

Hood's Sarsaparilla is an honest and reliable medicine. If you have never tried it, do so now.

SUGGESTIONS FOR THE STATE FAIR.

At the coming state fair a special exhibit should be secured from every county in the state, representing its best resources or capacities. Western counties should send their grains, grasses, vegetables, etc., the coast counties should send in their dairy products, etc., Southern Oregon should be represented by her fruits, Eastern Oregon by her minerals, etc. A department made up of such exhibits would be full of variety and vastly interesting and valuable as an exposition of the productions and capabilities of the country. It would, besides, give each county an interest in the fair and go toward making it what it ought to be, of and for the whole state.

We are not informed as to the plans of the management, but if this or something like it is not done the fair this year, as for several years past, will be a failure. The people cannot be depended upon to supply attractive exhibits. The fair must be managed like any other business, and attractions secured for it by personal application and suggestion, just as attractions are secured for the mechanics' fair in Portland by its managers. At this season, when we have so many visitors, it is specially desirable that the showing should be complete and creditable. It is desirable, too, that the fair should show some return for the money appropriated in its aid by the last legislature. The next legislature will be asked to vote a further subsidy, and the first question asked will be respecting the success of the fairs given since the former appropriation was made.

Says the Hartford *Courant*: "Wherever high license has been tried it has accomplished two things. It has closed up the lower sort of groggeries and has increased the local revenues. That is to say, the liquor interest has been made to pay according to its profit and its due proportion for the maintenance of order, and the drinking has been driven to be more open, under inspection, and the temptation of low grog-shops has ceased."

A PROFLIGATE KING.

How Kalakaua of the Sandwich Islands is Bearing Himself.

Honolulu Letter.

David Kalakaua has now been on the throne of the Hawaiian kingdom for twelve years. Previous to his elevation to the throne he was a boatman in the harbor of Honolulu, and used to pick up some money at night by playing the banjo in one of the water front dives. He is a superbly built native, but like most of the Kanakas, he has no regard for principle, is profoundly selfish, and hopelessly given up to gross vices. He had a strain of the old Kamehameha blood in his veins, however, and when, in 1874, an election was held under the farce of what is called a constitutional monarch, Kalakaua was picked up out of the gutter and was run by the strong American missionary party in opposition to Queen Emma, who showed great partiality for the church of England. Kalakaua's friends were the better politicians and they were successful. For two or three years the change did him good and he behaved well, living economically and taking a warm interest in the welfare of his people.

With proper advisers Kalakaua might have remained a model monarch, but he suffered from the influence of evil counsellors—adventurers who took office under him merely to further their private ends and who suggested many ways in which he could legally divert the public funds into his own pocket. One of his early attempts was to seize the fees which reverted to the crown for certain duties performed by officers of the interior department. He was greatly incensed when the honest head of this department refused to deliver up these fees and declared that they were public moneys. The king has been liberally provided for, as well as most of his family, yet he is always in straits for cash. He is given $50,000 every two years for the privy purse, $20,000 a year for palace expenses, $16,000 for the queen and a like sum for Mrs. John Dominis, the king's sister and the wife of the governor himself receiving $7200. Another sister of the king, Mrs. Archie Cleghorn, receives $12,000 and her daughter $5000. In addition to these generous allowances—for it must be remembered that the annual expenses of a native are not more than $50, as he lives mainly on poi and raw fish—the king was allowed $18,000 by the legislature for the palace stables. This sum he used to build a private stable, which he stocked with horses and ten hacks, which he hired out to be run in opposition to the regular carriage companies in Honolulu. Besides all these sources of revenue the king receives a yearly rental of not less than $100,000 from the crown lands, which comprise some of the best sugar estates on the islands. The opposition party in the legislature has tried for several years to compel the king to disclose the exact sum which he receives from these crown lands, but without success.

With all his money Kalakaua is perennially in debt. When he took the famous trip around the world he brought in a bill for $22,500, which was paid with some grumbling by the legislature. When the coronation was projected an allowance of $10,000 was made, with the provision that, if this sum was exceeded, it should come out of the king's privy purse. The lavish coronation ceremonies cost $40,000, and the sum had to be paid, as the privy purse was empty and the king himself so deeply in debt that, for the credit of the kingdom, the legislature voted him $20,000 to satisfy the most pressing of his creditors. What becomes of the large sums received by Kalakaua is a mystery which no one has yet solved. He has no more idea of the value of money than had Ludwig of Bavaria. He has few expensive tastes, but he has one strong passion which, freely indulged, drains him of all his coin—this is gambling. The Hawaiians are as fond of all games of chance as the North American Indian, and the king is said to be no mean hand at our great national game of poker.

HOP NOTES.

R. M. Rose, of New York, in the interest of the hop firm of D. Wilber & Son, of Milford, N. Y., is in Tacoma.

Seattle *Press*: Joseph Geiger, of Alderton, has contracted with L. F. Thompson for 10,000 pounds of hops, the crop of 1887, and with J. P. Stewart for 20,000 pounds, 10,000 of which are for the crop of 1887 and 10,000 for the crop of 1888.

According to the customary manner of contracting for hops, three per cent. of the purchase price is paid previous to the time of picking, and yesterday there was paid out to the hop-growers of the White and Green rivers some $10,000 on this account.

PUYALLUP.

Two more hop-buyers are here, one from Seattle and the other from New York.

L. F. Thompson purchased in Puyallup, Tuesday, 25,000 pounds of hops, for which he paid 28 cents per pound.

A large number of white people will commence picking hops Monday on some of the early lots. Indians are coming up the river, and large camps of them are to be seen along the Puyallup.

The Population of Chicago.

Minneapolis Tribune.

The new school census gives the population of Cook county as 917,656, of which 703,817 belong to the city of Chicago and 213,839 to the rest of the county. Cook county and Chicago are so closely identified in government and interest that from the outside standpoint there is no occasion for making any distinction, and the population of the great Western metropolis may therefore be said to have entered upon the last tenth in its growth toward a million. The city will be likely before long to make its boundaries coterminus with those of the county, and there will be required seven figures to express the number of its people before the next federal census is taken. Chicago is making rapid strides toward the rank of second city on the North American continent. In 1880 it was fourth. It has now unquestionably passed Brooklyn and must be about neck and neck with Philadelphia. The fair probability is that the census of 1890 will place it next to New York.

A Queer Question.

St. James (Minn.) Journal.

Why do we say "war" democrat, "union" democrat, "loyal" democrat when speaking of a man that wore the blue and votes the bourbon ticket. We never say "war," "loyal" or "union" republican.

Religion in the East.

Norristown Herald.

A meeting of clergymen was held at Saratoga a few days ago, having for its object the introduction of the name of God and Christ into the constitution of the United States. When the object is accomplished it is probable that they will make an effort to introduce Christianity into religious camp-meetings.

In Luck for Once.

New Bedford Mercury.

The complaint is made in some sections of the South that prohibition is prohibition only for poor men. Then the poor men are in luck. There are a great many rich men who would be much better off if prohibition could be made to apply to them.

THE STATISTICAL OREGONIAN.

Send ten (10) cents for a copy of the twenty-page New Year's edition.

IN NO HURRY TO COLLECT A FEE.

Last week county clerk Church received a letter of which the following is a copy:

ROCK CREEK, LINN COUNTY, OR., Aug. 23d.

To the County Clerk—*Dear Sir*: I write for information on the following: In the year 1860 I was a witness in a case tried in Portland, and as I have never demanded my fees I wish to know if I can get anything at this late date. My name at the time was Miss Jalaly W. Thomas. I would be very glad if you would answer the foregoing.

MRS. JALALY W. FLOOD.

A Depressing Routine.

New York Mail and Express.

The obituary feature of the platforms of the democratic conventions is their most conspicuous characteristic. Although the party finds it impossible to agree heartily on the merits and policies of any of its living leaders, it is questionable whether the solemn and elaborate eulogies of the dead leaders will not ultimately depress the party by the inevitable "second, sober thought," that the ablest and best of the democratic chieftains are under ground. Still, it's "none of our funeral," or business.

MEETING NOTICE.

Portland Canton No. 1, of Patriarchs Militant, I. O. O. F.—Special meeting at Odd Fellows' hall, Monday evening, August 30, 1886, at 8 o'clock P. M. Full attendance requested. By order of Captain. Attest: HARRY C. BOYD, Clerk.

BORN.

August 25, to the wife of Fred W. Boy[illegible], a son. Virginia City and San Francisco papers please copy.

DIED.

In East Portland, August 28, of cholera infantum, Ernest, son of Jeannette and Thos. J. Jones, aged 5 months.

Funeral from residence, corner Seventh and Oregon streets, Holladay Addition, today at 3 P. M.

In Colfax, W. T., August 27, Willie T. Turner, son of Thomas H. and Martha J. Turner, aged 20 years, 5 months and 25 days.

NEW TO-DAY.

Ask your neighbor if the fact is not well established, beyond a reasonable doubt, that our prices are the lowest in town. The patronage we receive warrants the remark. McAllen & McDonnell, 165 Third street, Popular Dry Goods Store.

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Your supplies for a good dinner to-day and Sunday from the great variety of Fish, Game, Chickens and Oysters kept in perfect state of preservation by our own process.

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Eastern Oysters (First of the Season) in shell and cans at C. A. MALARKEY'S, Fourth and Morrison sts.

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WANTED—A GIRL FOR UPSTAIRS WORK. Call between 1 and 4 P. M. at 117 Eighth st., near Alder. 28e1

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ALL WOOL READY MADE DRESSES, CLOAKS, handsome and stylish. Send for catalogue. H. ELLIOTT, 131 and 133 Third st. and 71 Alder. 28e1f

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WANTED—FOR AN INSURANCE OFFICE, A bright lad; one acquainted with the insurance business preferred. Address in handwriting P. O. drawer 8. 30e2

FOR RENT—A NEAT, NEW COTTAGE, WITH all modern conveniences; desirable location, cor. Seventh and Madison. Inquire of KLOSTERMAN & CO., 40 Front st. 29e1

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WANTED—500 MEN TO WORK ON THE Coeur d'Alene Railway & Navigation Co's line between Old Mission and Wardner; wages $2 25. Apply to W. E. SPALDING, Kingston, Idaho. 11au1m

WE SUPPLY, FREE OF CHARGE, TEST cards, enabling persons away from the city to order spectacles or eyeglasses of the proper focus. 12m L. C. HENRICHSEN Portland, Or.

WANTED—SITUATION BY A MIDDLE-AGED man, having 12 years' experience in the general merchandise; good knowledge of bookkeeping; no objection to country; good references. Address M. F., care Oregonian. 27e3

FOR SALE CHEAP—8 LOTS ARE OFFERED for sale (100x80 feet) within two miles of the city limits, for $400, or $50 per lot, on the installment plan; they lay in fine shape on the railroad, close to a station. Address P. P. C., care Oregonian. 30e7

IMPORTED SWISS CHEESE, CREAM, LIMBURger and Cottage Cheese; German Pickles, Elogamachie Herrings, Kosher Smoked Meat, Tongues, Sausages, Fancy Delicacies and Groceries.
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A BLACK PONY (MARE) AND A BROWN gelding escaped yesterday from Grammar School enclosure, Eighteenth and K sts.; a suitable reward will be paid for the return of said animals or for information leading to their recovery.
29a1wt GEO. H. DURHAM.

RARE CHANCE TO OBTAIN A GOOD STOCK, Fruit and Suburban Farm of 310 acres, 10 miles from the city; fine county roads; railroad and steamboat facilities. The famous "Mountain View" Farm and "Greenwood Park" Property, within 12 minutes ride of the city, will be given away as soon as acceptable opportunity offers; title perfect. Inquire at room 4, Mulkey Block, city. 1294t Aug. 30, 1886.

FOR SALE—8 ACRES OF CHOICE LAND, SITuated 1½ miles east of the city limits of East Portland and fronting on one of the best roads in the county; 17 acres clear, 5 acres in good bearing orchard. The improved portion of the land is level and easily cleared; level and all susceptible of cultivation; admirably adapted for subdivision for choice fruit farms, with each having a frontage on county road. A rare opportunity is here presented for two or more families combining to secure homes in the suburbs of the city at moderate cost. Price, $125 per acre. For full particulars apply to CREITZ & LAMBERT, 1 st., near Fourth, East Portland, Oregon. 30e1f

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There is but one Mount Tabor, and Belmont Park is the cream of it.

For scenic beauty it has no rival.

There are but twenty four tracts, eight of which are already selected.

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J. FRED CLARK, Real Estate Agent,
29e1f 11 Stark st.

Notice to D Street Property Owners.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO OWNERS OF property affected by the extension of D street, as proposed by the Common Council of the City of Portland from the west line of North Nineteenth street to the east line of North Twenty-second street in said city, to appear before the Committee on Streets and Public Property of said Common Council at a meeting thereof to convene Tuesday, August 31, A. D., 1886, at 1 o'clock P. M., at the committee rooms, council chamber, council building, for the purpose of considering damages and benefits arising from said street extension.

C. M. FORBES,
TYLER WOODWARD,
J. J. GALLAGHER,

Committee on Streets and Public Property of the Common Council of the City of Portland.
Portland, Or., August 27, 1886 3d1

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WANTED—A FIRST-CLASS WAITER AT Freiman's, Oak st. 27a1f

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WANTED—A NEAT GIRL TO DO LIGHT housework and take care of children. Apply 247 Main. 19e1f

WANTED—GOOD MAN TO RUN MOULDING machine and shaper. Inquire 145 Front st., Esmond Block. 28e2

WANTED—A GIRL TO DO COOKING (GERMAN preferred) for a family at Rose City. For particulars call at 271 Main st., bet. 11th and 12th. 29e3

WANTED—2 SALESLADIES TO SELL GOODS; must have first class references and whole time. Address "first class," care Oregonian. 29e1

TEACHERS WANTED—UPPER ASTORIA Public School. Applications for the positions of Principal and Assistant Teachers, for a nine months term, will be received by the undersigned until Sept. 10, 1886. In addition to stating their terms, applicants are requested to give their ages. WM. B. ADAIR, Clerk District No. 9, Upper Astoria, Oregon. 25a16

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SITUATION WANTED BY A YOUNG GIRL TO do second or upstairs work in private family; references exchanged. Address D. F., care Oregonian. 28e3

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WANTED—BY A MIDDLE-AGED MAN, SITUATION as clerk or where he can be useful; can keep a set of books; small pay. Address A. Z., care Oregonian. 29e1

WANTED—A SITUATION BY AN EXPERIenced bookkeeper and salesman. Address H., 270 First st. 29e7

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COUNTRY AGENTS WANTED—WE WANT AN agent to represent us in selling and collecting in each county (where we have no agent at work) in Oregon, Washington Territory and Idaho; permanent and profitable employment to the right men; references must accompany application, and bonds required. For terms apply to THE SINGER MANUFACTURING CO., Portland, Or. 12e1few

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WANTED—A TENANT FOR A NEW BRICK 42-room hotel in Vancouver. Apply to ROBERT WOLF, Vancouver, W. T. 16a1f

WANTED—AT THE W. C. T. U. INTELLIgence office all persons wishing to employ help and those seeking to find employment; the rooms will be kept open as heretofore. MRS. S. MURTON, Pres. W. C. T. U. 25a1m

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$5000 BONUS WILL BE GIVEN BY THE La Camas Company for the establishment of any manufacturing enterprise which will employ twenty workmen at La Camas, W. T.
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Spokane						[illegible]
Walla Walla						

Maximum thermometer, ... minimum 5...
Rainfall ... A M ... none

OVERLAND PASSENGERS

Passed Heron to arrive over the Northern Pacific E I Nichols Mrs. A J White Harold Lowther C B Fenn Frank Heaman and thirty four emigrants.

Passed Huntington to arrive over the Short Line J S Devine W I Smith and fifteen emigrants

Passed Medford to arrive over the O & C E S Richardson, W C Richardson J Graham C H Wheeler A Kelsay T H Grant

BRIEF MENTION.

The strength of the company at the Tivoli is increased by five new faces

Joe Holder has bought from Mr Cady a half interest in the Portland boat house

W C T U meets today at 2 30 Delegates to the state convention are requested to be present

Yesterday the City park was sprinkled by one of the ... carts much to the pleasure of the crowd that visited the park

Thomas Daly is to be tried in Justice Tuttle's court this morning on a charge of breaking a panel in a door at the Canyon gardens The charge is one of defacing a building

The State of California arrived in yesterday afternoon at 4 30 and was anchored below St Helens when the Olympian which arrived here this morning, went by

At a meeting of the board of trade H D Chapman E Parker C Ennis and Wm Hammond were appointed a committee to prepare an exhibit of grain and fruit for the Mechanics' fair

Nelson Bennett was arrested at Ellensburg last week by Deputy U S Marshal Reed charged with illegally removing from government lands ... timber trees He was taken before U S Commissioner Davidson where he furnished bonds for his appearance at the October term of court

Astoria had a $1,000 fire and a big scare Friday afternoon It broke out in the wharf of F I Parker at the foot of Spruce street and communicated to Wm. Chance's double dwelling Only by the very promptest and most zealous work of the department was the fire kept from spreading to the Kinney cannery the largest in the city

At the New Market tonight The Medium a translation of the old German comedy "Der Hobelschaar" by Mr Fid M. Page Mr Page is a thorough comedian, and as the Professor will have ample opportunity to show his mettle The piece is well set and well cast "The Medium" ran for two weeks San Francisco season to good business

A WORD FOR BAKER COUNTY

BAKER CITY, Aug. ...

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN

Not a county in Oregon enjoys the prosperity that this one does It is not because we live here that prompts the saying but for the potential reason that what we have said and now say, concerning the county is true Think of our resources agriculture, stock and mining If wheat is low stock is high and if either fail gold always finds a ready sale at a fair cash value

It is however of our city that we speak with especial pride It is a commercial center and a live town Merchants make no assignments real estate dealers make sales every day mechanics are busy all the time four companies do a large business in the delivery business and five livery stables scarcely accommodate the public In fact every kind of business is prosperous and the reason is obvious to one acquainted with the surroundings

The following places all getting their supplies at this point are not old worked out camps but are today taking out dust in large quantities Pocahontas with its ten hydraulics and numerous arastras, Virtue mine, with its 20-stamp mill and six ground sluicing placers Gold Ridge with its 20 stamp mill and fourteen arastras Parker Nesbitt, Fort Sumpter, Granite Robinsonville Cabell mines all with arastras, small mills and giants. Burnt river with its hundreds of miners, Connor creek with a large 60-stamp mill, Pine creek with its mountain of gold, Hogem where with an arastra $10 000 in gold was taken out last season with equally favorable prospects for this. No wonder our town grows and our citizens feel confident in their investments in real estate.

In addition to the fine residences already here Messrs. Rutan, P Bishop, J P Faull E H Mix, G D Holman and others have just completed or are constructing residences that are a credit to any city If a man has money or energy let him come to Baker county it is the point of all others in the Inland Empire that is bound to be prosperous

BAKER

SUGAR FROM BEETS.

NEW ERA Oregon, Aug 28

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN.

I was very much interested in and pleased to see your article entitled "Sugar from Beets" in THE OREGONIAN of August 20, also Mr E Meeker's efforts to enlist capital and enterprise in the direction to develop some of our own natural resources.

I have for a number of years been growing the sugar beet in connection with the different kinds of mangels for stock feed, to a limited extent and from my experience I am very sanguine that there need be no difficulty in producing the beets As to the amount of saccharine matter they may contain I have had no means of determining except that of simply tasting which is no test at all yet I am confident they are rich in sugar Could there be a manufactory of that nature started here in this valley besides giving employment to hundreds of persons what an amount of money it would save to the people here that steadily goes away from us for sugar It is hard to get capital interested in such enterprise and the great majority of the farmers are too poor and hard run to ha easy money to put in the ... elves but would be glad to get the chance to furnish the beets at reasonable figures.

THOMAS BUCKMAN

PERSONAL

J W Cook has returned from a two weeks visit among friends in Walla Walla.

Mr Frederick V Holman returned this morning from his summer vacation at Ilwaco

Sam Thall ahead of the Grismer Davies company arrived here yesterday from Victoria ... "Hoop of Gold" and "A Fiend of Honor" will be presented by Grismer for a week commencing September 6 Louis A. Morgenstern is again business manager of the company

J W Baird the minstrel manager arrived here last week from Southern California and ... remain about a month to look after his farms recently purchased in Washington county He reports the receipts for the eight weeks ending Aug ... as the largest since he went on the road

THE PINE CREEK ROAD

UNION A...

An injunction has been served upon the board of commissioners for the building of the Pine Creek wagon road, restraining them from paying the contractor any further sum or sums of money The board had inspected the work and agreed to accept the contract. Proceedings are instituted in the circuit court by the county court of Union county I am not informed as to the allegations of the complaint, but presume it embodies some of the charges heretofore reported and that the commissioners will have an opportunity to explain their conduct of the fund

Don't use poisonous lead Face Powders Freeman's medicated invisible is guaranteed absolutely harmless preserves the complexion S G Skidmore & Co 151 First street, agents

TO SEW TRADE

A L Weller & Co , 30 North Front street carry constantly a complete stock of all Havana as well as mixed Havana cigars, manufactured in their factory at San Francisco exclusively by the International white labor union

Owing to their splendid facilities representing, as they do, the largest factory on this coast, you will find their goods superior in quality and workmanship, and at lower prices than those of any other competing house A trial order is respectfully solicited.

Young Ladies' Journal and Popular Monthly for September, at Ed Dekum's, 49 Washington street.

For an elegant lunch or a good dinner go to Alisky's, 145 First street,

BUSINESS ITEMS

Boats all day at special rates Waukeegan Boat House

Woven Wire spring beds, George M Parker, 131 Sixth street. Trade supplied.

New Home Sewing Machine Co 46 Morrison st., near Second. The Blue Front.

Harrison's Sewing Machine Store, 167 Third st., Portland, Or for the latest and best.

Pond's Extract the most potent curative agent known for Pains, Aches and Injuries Let those who have never used it inquire concerning its virtues.

THE VIENNA,

Washington st., leads all for Lunches and Ice Cream.

Advice to Mothers.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup should always be used for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhea. Price 25 cts. a bottle.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

INQUEST —At 10 o'clock yesterday morning Coroner DeLin held an inquest on the body of Jacob Hoover who was found drowned Saturday night L. A Wells testified as to finding the body and Dr Nicklin that he had examined it and found no marks of violence A Berkmeir, a saloon keeper testified "Hoover was in my place last Tuesday night was drinking, but not any more than usual" Witness asked him to sign a petition for his ... license, and he said it would do no good for him to sign it, and that he was too nervous to sign it but gave witness privilege to sign his name When he left he took a two-bit flask of whisky with him When he left he squeezed witness' hand and said good night Tears came to his eyes and he choked some while talking He said nothing about any family troubles witness never knew him to have trouble with anyone Several other witnesses testified in a like strain The fact as to whether or not Hoover drowned himself was not brought out as all that any of the witnesses examined knew of Hoover telling his wife that he was going to drown himself was by hearsay Mrs Hoover who is sick was not called The jury rendered a verdict that the deceased was 45 years of age married and a native of Switzerland and that he came to his death by drowning in the Willamette river

BOY DROWNED —Mention was made several days ago of the disappearance of Bennie Cohen, the six year old son of Isador Cohen of 50 North Front street Since then it was reported that the little fellow was drowned and this report has been proved to be true Wednesday afternoon Bennie and two boys of his own age named Frank Olsese and Michael Fogel went down to the foot of F street and into a small boat fastened to the wharf to play While so engaged Cohen's hat fell in to the water and his companions went to procure a stick or a pole to fish it out On their return Bennie was nowhere to be seen It would appear that during the absence of the other boys he endeavored in some way to recover his hat and that while making efforts in this direction he leaned over too far and fell overboard Yesterday morning at 5 o'clock the watchman of the Ainsworth dock while rowing across the river struck something with one of the oars which, on investigation proved to be the Cohen boy's body He towed it ashore and sent word to the coroner The remains were removed to the morgue where an inquest was held and a verdict of accidental drowning rendered. The funeral took place at 2 o'clock from DeLin's undertaking parlors The remains were buried in the Jewish cemetery

NO REMEDY FOR BAD SIDEWALKS —Numerous complaints are still being made as to the bad condition of many of the sidewalks in the city Yesterday afternoon policeman Henline tripped up on a loose plank on Front and Ash streets and fell down very violently full length His trousers were split open at the knee and he got covered with dust from head to foot The public generally speaking are acquainted with the fact that Henline is a very large man, and many persons will doubtless feel surprised that he was not badly hurt from the effects of the fall, and also how the sidewalk could have possibly withstood the shock Only last week a suit for $10 000 damages was brought in the state circuit court on account of injuries received from a bad sidewalk Under the city ordinances a property owner can not be forced to repair his sidewalk nor can the cost of repairs if done by the city be made a lien on such property and the city council either can not legally or does not authorize the street superintendent to make repairs to sidewalks This is the answer an OREGONIAN reporter received one day last week from Street Superintendent Vaughn when he asked why so many loose planks in sidewalks were endured It seems that the good will of property owners alone is to be depended on for repairs

PROPOSED RAILROAD TO CLATSOP BEACH —Saturday's *Astorian* has the following More people came down this way from the heated interior this season than ever before, and of the fourteen thousand who took a trip down the Columbia it is believed a large majority would have sojourned on this side the river if there was any way beside a tedious wagon ride to the fine stretch of Clatsop beach With this belief the Astoria and Seaside Railway company will be incorporated in this city to day, to build a narrow gauge railroad from the western end of the city to Smith's point and thence across Young's bay to Adair's slough or adjacent terminus and the seaside The capital stock of the company is to be $100 000 divided into 1000 shares of $100 each The intention is to begin survey as soon as practicable and commence work immediately upon the preliminaries being arranged Messrs Hanthorn, Wingate and Trullinger with two Portland parties, are the movers in the scheme which commends itself to the favorable consideration of all Forty thousand dollars is already pledged and the probability is that by next season Portlanders can take the cars at Astoria and be whisked over to the embrace of the ocean.

TRIPLE MURDER DISCOVERED —Says the Butte *Inter Mountain* Frank Free and two others while camped on the east of the Teton mountains near the Wyoming and Idaho line discovered, on August 8th the bodies of three Butte prospectors who had been murdered At a deserted mining camp near by papers were found which identified the murdered men as T H Tuggerman Henry Weller and Gus Kellenberger An almanac showed that the tragedy must have occurred on July 10th After burying the bodies the party left on the 12th and went toward Teton Basin On the next day a young man came into camp and asked if they had seen anything of three men working over on the river, and stated that one of them John Tonbar one of the party, was working on a hay ranch near by They concluded that he was the murderer and captured him He confessed but said he did it in self defense He was taken to Eagle Rock and turned over to the authorities

A BEAR AS A BARKEEPER —A correspondent at Dayton, W T tells how a liquor dealer got around the local option law Last Monday when Cole's circus visited the town Ben Scott hired a tame bear and promised to go halves with bruin if he would be a good nice bear and amuse those who might visit him during the day Ben then had a big sign painted "Big Bear Show" Admission 25 cents and hung outside his beer hall Many paid their 25 cents and went in and saw the bear The bear performed his part of the contract by drawing beer and handing sandwiches and cheese to his visitors As there is no law here against bears giving their friends a little beer, no one kicked Ben sat outside by the door child like and bland and quietly chuckled when a temperance man would go in to see the bear

ACCUSED OF LARCENY —Saturday an old man named John Gerspach put in an appearance in the office of Deputy District Attorney Simon and asked that a warrant be issued for the arrest of an Italian woman who keeps a fruit stand on First street near C on a charge of larceny Gerspach alleges that he met and made the acquaintance of the woman some weeks ago and while in her company she took $10 from him He further stated that he called at her place of business several times to get his money back and that she put him off from time to time with promises and finally said she had none of his money On Gerspach's statement a warrant was issued from ... court and he was required to put up bail of $10 as a guarantee that he would appear and testify in the case

SINGING SOCIETY ORGANIZED —About ... of the best German citizens of Portland met yesterday at the hall of the German Aid society for the purpose and organized a society under the name of Arion The object of the society is to promote choir singing and to entertain the members with literary and dramatic exercises Officers ... were elected as follows President ... Alsky secretary C ... treasurer C A Landenberger librarian J Howell musical director C Stebinger A committee of ... were appointed to prepare a constitution and by-laws to submit at the next meeting which will be held Sunday the 12th inst at ... o'clock P M at the hall of the society

UNWELCOME MIDNIGHT VISITOR —Thursday night Mrs W D Carter of South Portland was awakened by a large cat belonging to the family which had fastened its claws in her breast and was attempting to inhale her breath Almost frantic with fear and for a time ignorant of the ... of her midnight assailant the lady struggled to an upright position and succeeded after much difficulty in releasing herself from the unwelcome ... of the ... animal It was then found that she had received numerous deep scratches from the claws of the cat For a while Mrs Carter was prostrated and for two days she was ... from the effects of her ...

TOOK POISON —Yesterday afternoon Capt D Alexander was found in his room at Sixth and ... streets suffering from the effects of a dose of poison, but whether taken purposely or accidentally could not be learned He was waited upon by Dr McKenzie and subsequently taken to St Vincent's hospital When last heard from he was suffering from a high fever Alexander is an attorney at law and came here from Philadelphia several years ago, but never engaged in the practice of his profession in this city but was always amply provided with money It is reported that he denies having taken any poison

ARRESTED FOR FRAUD —Deputy United States Marshal Johnson arrived here yesterday from The Dalles having in charge Thomas Ryan held to answer by United States Commissioner E B Huntington for conspiring to defraud the government by filing on certain lands Ryan and W T Thompson a real estate broker, were arrested at The Dalles on the 26th instant on complaint of James McCormack An interview was had with Ryan at the county jail All he would say about the case was that he filed on 160 acres of land near Alkali and was slightly acquainted with Thompson.

MRS WITTENMEYER'S LECTURES.

An enthusiastic audience greeted Mrs Wittenmeyer at the Tabernacle yesterday afternoon in spite of the heat of the day

The meeting was presided over by Mrs A R Riggs, president of the Oregon State W C T U who conducted the meeting and introduced Mrs Wittenmeyer as the first president of the National W C T U and said some gratifying complimentary words concerning her record as a temperance worker in the United States and her own state of Pennsylvania, Mrs. H K Hines, the first president of the Oregon W C T U, and Mrs Murton, president of the Portland local W C T U, also occupied seats on the platform Mrs. Wittenmeyer gave a very comprehensive lecture on "how shall we get rid of the liquor traffic" She gave some facts in regard to the states which have prohibitory laws, gave some amusing instances of the liquor men trying to evade the law and smuggle whisky into the state in firkins of butter bags of coffee and in coffins.

A large audience listened with delight last evening to Mrs. Wittenmyer as she portrayed some scenes of army life as witnessed by her during the war for the suppression of the rebellion Mrs. W was one of the principal agents of the sanitary commission in the distribution of its supplies and its hospital work, and her name is cherished by all old soldiers. She gave a vivid account of the siege of Vicksburg, of hospital life there and at Helena, and her successful efforts in getting the sick and wounded removed from the latter place to northern hospitals

Along with the most thrilling descriptions of battles, sufferings and death, she introduced touches of the grim humor that often comes to the surface during such scenes She closed with a glowing tribute to the Grand Army and its auxiliary, the Woman's Relief corps their mission of charity to needy comrades and their families and the education of the rising generations in the principles of loyalty to their country

RACES AT CITY VIEW PARK

Jane L Trotting to a Cart Beats Kitty Lynch Best Time 2 30.

There was only a moderate attendance at City View park yesterday afternoon to witness the races Three events were advertised two trotting events and a running race Jane L had no trouble in winning the first race although she had to trot all five heats to do it The running race, for some reason did not come off, but in the interval between the two trotting races an impromptu foot race seventy five yard dash was run This last race was a very tame affair and was almost a walk over Lady Rockwood being too heavily handicapped The judges for the day were E ... T Trey Al Uncles and J T Apperson of Oregon City The first race was for a purse made up of $... entrance fee and $200 added by the track.

First heat, pools sold Jane L $10 field $... Altamont had the pole with Jane L next and Kitty Lynch on the outside At the first attempt the trio got the word At the first turn Altamont went to pieces and was nearly pulled up At the quarter Kitty led Jane L second and Altamont a bad third In this order they trotted all along the back stretch and past the half mile pole ... into the home stretch with Altamont gaining Kitty still led and won easily in 2 38 Altamont second four lengths ahead of Jane L

Second heat They scored twice and at the ... go Kitty was again in the lead at the turn Kitty still led and Altamont broke but quickly found his feet and past the quarter Kitty led Altamont second and Jane L last All along the stretch past the half mile post and up to the last quarter they held the same relative positions As they came into the home stretch Jane L began to come up and after passing Altamont made for Kitty and cut out a slashing pace for her but failed to overtake her by a nose Kitty winning in 2 30 Altamont third

Third heat —At the word Kitty led and on the turn Altamont broke As the quarter was passed Jane L had the lead with Kitty at her wheel Along the back stretch there was a pretty race between the two Jane L being half a length in front ... she gradually increased past the half ... around to the three quarters post and passed ... the wire winner by three lengths in 2 30

Fourth heat—At the first score they got the word with Altamont ahead He broke on the turn but came down to work and at the quarter led by two lengths Jane L second Kitty last They held the same positions down the back stretch past the half mile pole and around into the home stretch but there Jane L took the lead and came in an easy winner in 2 34

Fifth heat—They got away well together with Jane L a little in advance At the quarter Jane still led with Altamont on her wheel and Kitty last At the half they were the same but then Kitty came up, passed Altamont at the three quarter pole and gamely made for Jane L but she was unable to catch her Jane L winning by four lengths in 2 32

S G Reed's b m Jane L, Lindsey (in cart)		3 2 1 1 1
A Delashmutt's b m Kitty Lynch J Misner (in harness)		1 1 2 ...
J Beach's b s Altamont, J Beach (in harness		2 1 3 3 3

Time 2 38 2 30, 2 30 2 34½ 2 32½

For the foot race there were two contestants distance, 75 yards O'Connor won the race and the $20 in 9½

The second trotting race one mile and repeat for a purse of $40 was very tame Dr Vaumonciscar entered M S, a four year old sorrel gelding by Atwood to harness, and Charles Hegele entered the five-year old bay mare Lady Rockwood by Rockwood, to cart M S won both heats with ease the cart proving too heavy a handicap for Lady Rockwood.

Dr Vaumonciscar's s g M S, J Misner	1 1
Charles Hegele's b m Lady Rockwood, Lindsey	2 2

Time 2 58, 2 55

THE DRAMA "OREGON."

The Scene of Joaquin Miller's Latest Play Laid in Oregon City

Last Monday night, Minnie Wallace, of the once famous Wallace sisters and Dobson the banjo player and a select company presented at the Alcazar in San Francisco Joaquin Miller's latest dramatic production "Oregon" The scene is laid in Oregon City and the plot is woven about the validity to the title to certain lands lying between Oregon City and Mount Hood A Portland gentleman who saw the play on the opening night says that the facts are laughable to an Oregonian The action is no earlier than 1870 because one character a representative of the F F V's is constantly talking of old Virginia and how grand a state it was "befoah de wah sah." Yet Portland is referred to as an obscure little town, quite a distance from Oregon City and Walla Walla as an Indian fort. Oregon is treated as it was thirty or forty years ago and according to the author no one was certain of his title to land The *Call* says of "Oregon" "The play has such merit as usually appertains to dramatic pictures of Western life, and as Mr Miller is quite familiar with the lights and shadows of frontier experience, they may be accepted as well drawn in their main features. It seems like bringing coals to Newcastle to produce so many pieces of this character on the Pacific side of the Rockies but there is a fascination in the freshness of the scenes a certain pleasure in the poetic sentiment which pervades them that go far to insure popularity" Among the Portlanders who saw the first production were Miss Kate Wallace Miss Elsie Hoyt, Mr F K Arnold Mr J P Owen and others

OREGON W C T U CONVENTION

The fourth annual convention of the Women's Christian Temperance Union of Oregon will be held in the Presbyterian church Corvallis beginning to-morrow and closing Friday the 3d prox Following is the programme

Opening session Tuesday evening August 31 — Singing scripture reading prayer anthem address of welcome Mrs Addie Baldwin Corvallis response, Mrs I Irvine Albany singing hand shaking and formal reception of members.

Wednesday morning, 9 o'clock —Scripture reading and prayer led by Mrs. H K Hines Portland roll call of officers and members, reception of delegates report of executive committee appointment of committees president's annual address history of Oregon W C T U, by Mrs H K Hines noon tide prayer

Afternoon Session —Music report of district presidents report of corresponding secretary Mrs Belle W Cooke Salem report of treasurer Mrs L J Blaine Albany

Evening Session —Reading scripture and prayer Mrs M B Reese of Ohio address to young ladies, Miss Clare Feaslie M D East Portland announcements

Thursday morning ... o'clock ... reports of superintendents of departments ... scientific instruction in public schools Mrs M J Foster Forest Grove Sunday school work Mrs Nora Williams Corvallis hygienic reform and heredity Mrs Owens Adair M D ... Mrs ... Lafayette ... Mrs ... Boyd Portland noontide prayer

Afternoon Session —Scripture reading and prayer report of young ladies' work Mrs Henrichs ... Brown A ... prison and jail work fairs and public gatherings Mrs C F Shipley Oswego ... Mrs Lucas Pendleton ... work Mrs Whitaker Independence ... Mrs Adair ... Corvallis legislation and petitions Mrs W W Parker Astoria.

Friday Morning Session Scripture reading and prayer social purity Mrs. Sickafoose Portland election of officers noontide prayer

Afternoon session Devotional exercises Sabbath desecration Mrs S ... Hatch Salem ... temperance literature Mrs M J Dunn Oregon City superintendent of press Mrs J A Walsh Corvallis chairman of committee on ... Mrs E H Addition ... miscellaneous business reading minutes

Evening session Young ladies' meeting scripture reading and prayer opening address Mrs Harriet ... Albany paper by Josie Parrish recitation "The Martyred Mother" Annie Kelly other exercises benediction adjournment

Y M C A HALL.

There was a large audience of men yesterday afternoon in the hall of the Young Men's Christian association to hear the lecture on Bulgaria by Mr Ivan Balabanoff a native of that country but who for the past ten years has been in America and is now fitting himself as a missionary and physician for his native country The lecture was exceedingly interesting The speaker first pointed out Bulgaria on the map, described its productions classes of people, education and also dwelling largely upon the customs of the people. His aim in life had been to be a monk, and for this purpose he was preparing himself, but he was, providentially halted in this undertaking as his sister who was converted through a Presbyterian missionary, pleaded with him to abandon his purpose pointing to him a better aim in life This led him to consider, and the result was his conversion

He moreover showed the good results that are coming from the missionaries of this and other countries He especially referred to Robert college at Constantinople, two thirds of the students being Bulgarians and that the political offices of the Bulgarian kingdom are mostly occupied by the graduates of this college He strongly appealed to the audience to aid his country, assuring them of grandest results, as the people are very eager to obtain education

Towards the end the speaker showed several articles of clothing as worn in his country fully explaining the use of each

Mr Balabanoff was introduced by Mr Adair a fellow student of Hamilton college New York who chanced to be here, and gladly availed himself of the opportunity of renewing their old acquaintance

A Cure of Pneumonia.

Mr D H Barnaby of Owego, N Y says that his daughter was taken with a violent cold which terminated with Pneumonia and all the best physicians gave the case up and said she could live but a few hours at most She was in this condition when a friend recommended DR. WM HALL'S BALSAM FOR THE LUNGS and advised her to try it. She accepted it as a last resort and was surprised to find that it produced a marked change for the better and by persevering a permanent cure was effected

TO RENT.—House of nine rooms, with all modern improvements, within half block of street cars. Apply at 194 Salmon street.

WHY SMOKE CABBAGE LEAVES?

Buy genuine Tansill's Punch 5c cigars from Plummer & Byerly, druggists, First and Main.

AN OLD-FASHIONED GAME.

The Alerts of The Dalles come within 20 Runs of Defeating the Stars

About 500 good natured people assembled at The ... yesterday to see the game between the Alerts of The Dalles and the renowned Stars The visitors were first to bat and at the end of the first half of the ... inning the score stood Stars 27 Alerts ... total number of runs 35 It was the largest game of the season and also the cheapest Admission was ... cents ferriage one way 5 cents back the same total ... cents—just 1 cent a run and no Eastern city however large the population can produce baseball any cheaper It is actually selling the goods for less than cost The Alerts are not first class at the bat though the fielders were fair except the catcher first baseman second baseman third baseman and shortstop In the first inning the visitors made ... errors and two wild pitches and four passed balls with ... safe hits giving the Stars six runs At the end of the fourth inning the score stood Stars ... Alerts ... Then the crowd insisted on the home nine letting the visitors down easy and a few safe hits were pitched so that the Alerts could bat and do some base running The umpire James B ... toward the end of the game gave every doubt to the visitors and this pleased the crowd

Drummond of the Stars had very little opportunity to show whether he can pitch or not because after the fifth inning he did not try Up to that time two safe hits were made on him Wilson the regular catcher split a finger Drennan took his place and did the same Drennan then caught a few innings and finally some outsider got behind the bat Then Cook Nolan and Wilson left the field to catch the Vancouver stage and in the last inning there were four men in the Stars uniform one in the William ... and three in citizen's dress—only eight men in the field and a ... at that Following is the score by innings

Stars	[illegible]			1	0	7	1			—28
Alerts	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	3	4	—8

It may be a bit of comfort to the Alerts to know that the Amity's of Victoria, were defeated here twenty runs on the 21st inst

THE EAST SIDE.

ATTEMPT AT BURGLARY

On Friday evening last about 10 o'clock Mr Clark Lawrence who resides on the corner of Ninth and G streets was aroused from sleep by the servant girl calling him and saying there was a Chinaman in the room At this he jumped out of bed and slipping on his clothes, struck a light and on going to the girl's room she told him that she had just retired and was lying awake when she heard a noise, and looking up saw a Chinaman in the act of striking a match which partially lighted and then went out She was so scared she could not speak He then lighted another, and by this time she found strength to make the alarm when the intruder left and she heard his retreating footsteps on the porch Mr Lawrence, upon hearing the girl's story, kept the light burning and went around the premises thinking perhaps he might find him but did not About half an hour later a knock was heard at the door and upon Mr Lawrence opening it a rather well dressed Chinaman stood there whom the girl recognized as the one she had seen in the doorway of her room When asked what he wanted he said he had been sent there to collect a wash bill Mr Lawrence thereupon arrested him and, with the assistance of a neighbor marched him down town and gave him in charge of night policeman Atterbury who locked him up for the night On Saturday a complaint was sworn to by Mr Lawrence accusing the Chinaman, "who gave his name as Ah Gen" of the crime of attempting to commit burglary On the examination had before Recorder Nevill he claimed he had been sent to collect a wash bill but the recorder thought the story an improbable one as the hour was so late and he had made his way in the house without knocking he therefore concluded to hold the defendant to appear before the grand jury and he was committed to the county jail

TEMPERANCE ENTERTAINMENT POSTPONED

The temperance entertainment under the auspices of the East Portland W C T U announced in Saturday's issue of THE OREGONIAN to take place at the M E church did not take place owing to the indisposition of Miss Kate Topper, who was to have delivered an address and Mrs C Taylor who was on the programme for a select reading The committee on entertainment did not learn of their indisposition in time to have the postponement announced in the papers It was announced from the pulpit at the morning service but a large number from other churches who did not hear the announcement were greatly disappointed on going there to find the church in darkness Due notice of the time of giving the entertainment will be given

FOREST FIRES

The bright light seen in a Northeasterly direction from this city for several nights past is from the burning forest in the vicinity of Gravelly hill, about eight miles from this city Parties residing near there and some from this city have been fighting the fire night and day since Friday last Up to the present time no buildings have been burned, but a large amount of cord wood has been reduced to ashes It is said that a man named Dickson has lost about 400 cords, Mr McDonough about 150 cords and Monroe & Parker of this city about sixty cords The fire is still burning and the probabilities are that much more will be burned.

DEATH

The many friends of Mr and Mrs F I Jones will sympathize with them in the loss of their little son Ernest who died yesterday after an illness of one day of cholera infantum The funeral will take place at 2 o'clock this afternoon from the residence corner of Seventh and Oregon streets Holladay's addition Rev C H Hobart officiating.

PERSONALS

Mr and Mrs J A Stevens who have been visiting with their mother Mrs A M Brown the past month will return to their home in Olympia to day

Dr J Van Scoy of the Willamette university at Salem was in the city most of the day on Saturday last visiting friends He was on his way home from the M E conference at Forest Grove

The Misses Carrie Hattie and Louise Ross Elwood Baylor Mr and Mrs D D Neer and daughter arrived on the steamer Telephone on Saturday night from the East Portland camp at Long Beach

Pleasures of Jail Life in Georgia.

Lumpkin (Ga.) Independent.

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COMMERCIAL.

SATURDAY, Aug. 28.

Over and receipts [illegible] coal oil, 50 bbls, 1 bx chair stock, 10 cs [illegible] cloaks, 42 cs [illegible] p goods [illegible] cs hosiery [illegible] flannels, 10 rls carpet.

Str Yaquina City, from San Francisco 4th inst., landed 15 [illegible] ctls [illegible] wool, [illegible] bdls hides, [illegible] bdls skins.

PRODUCE RECEIPTS—Past twenty-four hours 4437 ctls wheat, 708 bbls flour, 2007 ctls oats, 201 ctls barley, 40 ctls millstuffs, 35 lbs wool, 450 lbs hides, [illegible] cs eggs, 1[illegible] bxs fruit, 4 cs butter. Also 6020 ctls wheat, 100 bbls flour, 218 ctls millstuff, 1585 lbs hides, 14 bxs fruit from the eastern section.

FREIGHTS—The port loading list is now 11,245 tons exclusive of 146 loading lumber or China freight. The available list is 4,41 iron and 4,9 wood or 5 vessels of each class. To arrive a total of 37,147 tons is listed, a good part of it far off. There is no particular inquiry for spot tonnage and it is generally held high. Besides no demand of moment can be expected until wheat moves more freely or engaged tonnage receives dispatch. Only handy iron could get up to 40s at present.

WHEAT—Brilliant weather over England appears to quiet the markets, showing quite conclusively that the market is controlled by other than high speculative or a war[illegible] feeling. The market abroad is not lower unless it would be to sell promptly. Offerings of cargoes continue light. New York is a shade lower for the day and Chicago rather higher. Receipts have increased but slowly, although the eastern section is starting this way. The market does not move out of its irregular chan[illegible] and the two interests remain apart. Buyers [illegible] limited offerings even at their best bids, and sell[illegible] hang back under the belief that wheat will soon be in demand. This is hardly justified, for appearances are against any decided pressure to buy soon arising. We st[illegible] quote $1 [illegible] and $1 2[illegible] with rather better possible for parcels if [illegible].

OATS—[illegible] possibly [illegible] [illegible] The in[illegible] or at last [illegible] was above this market. Receipts [illegible].

POTATOES—[illegible] $1 [illegible] 10 with a dull business doing. The lo[illegible] poor [illegible].

ONIONS—[illegible] $1 [illegible] 10.

FRUIT—Apples [illegible] very good business. Eastern [illegible] have been inaugurated a[illegible] large a[illegible] of Bartletts are sent [illegible]. Apples bring [illegible] and pears about $1.

EGGS—Market irregular but higher. 10@18c being asked and obtained to-day with a fair prospect of the e[illegible] being [illegible] established early next week.

CHICKENS—Irregular, and to close out stocks low prices were accepted, sales being at $[illegible] for common.

WOOL—Market generally [illegible] with an easier tendency [illegible] is done.

HOPS—N[illegible] will soon be moving. At present a very quiet [illegible] with the idea that pres[illegible] prices can[illegible] be maintained [illegible]. The [illegible] is reporting less strength. New York mail dates report [illegible] has occurred and prices [illegible] downward rather than upward tendency. Good [illegible] cents but do not command a ready sale, buyers deeming them [illegible]. The [illegible] of German hops is [illegible] more [illegible] and as they are freely offered at [illegible] cents American hops of a si[illegible] can hardly bring much more. Of choice hops we hear nothing, and in reality none are offering. The excitement in the country has about died out, as has the expectation of very high prices.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—Governments were dull and steady. The day was the dullest on the stock market for many weeks and fluctuations in the general list were exceedingly small, generally under ¼ per cent for the entire day. Acknowledgment of a demand for an increase in wages on the New York Central was made to-day but had no effect. There were short spurts in San Francisco stocks and Atlant[illegible], in which latter stock there was more business than for a month past. Missouri Pacific exhibited considerable strength as did also Pacific Mail late in the day. The most important movement was a drop of [illegible] per cent in Manhattan Consolidated. Prices at the opening were comparatively steady. Trading was extremely dull except in a few special stocks until afternoon, when prices yielded small fractions, but the market closed steady, generally at small fractions under opening prices.

The *Mail and Express* says: The general market in mining shares showed better demand. All common stocks were higher, especially Con. Virginia. Sales of California & Virginia were at $[illegible].

MONEY, BONDS AND STOCKS

NEW YORK, Aug. [illegible]—Money on call loaned from [illegible] to [illegible], closing at [illegible] asked. Prime paper 4@5. Sterling exchange [illegible] unchanged.

BONDS

3s	00	4½s	110
4s	26	Pacific 6s	1[illegible]

STOCKS

American [illegible]	10[illegible]	Northwestern	11[illegible]
Canadian Pac	[illegible]	New York Central	108[illegible]
Canada Southern	44	Oregon Navigation	101
Central Pacific	4[illegible]	Transcontinental	[illegible]1⅝
Burlington	13[illegible]	Improvement	2
Lackawanna	1[illegible]	Pacific Mail	7[illegible]
Denver & [illegible]	[illegible]	Panama	[illegible]
Erie	1[illegible]	Rock Island	[illegible]
Kansas & Texas	[illegible]	St Paul	91[illegible]
Lake Shore	85	Texas Pacific	[illegible]
Louisville & Nashville	4[illegible]	Union Pacific	55[illegible]
Michigan Central	[illegible]	U S Express	[illegible]
Northern Pacific	2[illegible]	Fargo	1[illegible]
N P preferred	5[illegible]	Western Union	66

SAN FRANCISCO MINING STOCKS REPORT

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 28.

Hale & Norcross	1 [illegible]	Savage	[illegible]
Sierra Nevada	60	Chollar	0
Best & Belcher	1 [illegible]	Potosi	50
Gould & Curry	85	Alta	1 00
Mexican	75	Ophir	1 50
Con Cal & Va	[illegible]0	Union	[illegible]
Bodie	70	Utah	5
Mono	0	Peerless	[illegible]0
Bulwer	1 [illegible]0	Holmes	[illegible] 30

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 28.—Receipts—Wheat 1,000 ctls, flour [illegible]00 qr sks, oats 1,500 ctls, barley 1,500 ctls, potatoes 1,500 sks.

Chartered spot for Liverpool ship J [illegible] Walker, [illegible] tons at [illegible] 6d by Wm Dresbach. Chartered prior to arrival Br ship Cardiganshire, iron, 1,400 tons for [illegible] Havre or Antwerp at 35s by Blum, Baldwin & Girvan.

Wool—Steady and quiet; quotations unchanged. New York quiet and steady. Philadelphia dull, quotations nominal. Boston quiet and easier.

Potatoes—Receipts small and market firm.

Bags—Weak and nominal at 6c [illegible] 1,000 sold at auction at $5 55@[illegible].

Eggs—Firm at 30c.

Butter—Weak and unchanged.

Millstuffs—Quiet but steady.

Salmon—Very firm but dull.

Barley—Quiet and easy. No 1 feed [illegible].

Oats—Quiet and easy at $1 [illegible]@1 [illegible].

Wheat—Dull and weak. No 1 shipping nominal [illegible] $1 [illegible]@1 [illegible]. In options considerable business doing; buyer season $1 44¾@1 44¾; buyer year $1 [illegible]; seller year $1 [illegible]@1 [illegible].

CHICAGO MARKETS

CHICAGO, Aug. 28.—Wheat opened [illegible]c September, [illegible]c October, [illegible]c November. At noon [illegible]c August, [illegible]c September, [illegible]c October, [illegible]c November. Closed [illegible]c August, [illegible]c October, [illegible]c November.

Pork $8 [illegible] September. Lard [illegible] September. Short ribs $6 [illegible] September; short ribs $6 40 cash.

CHICAGO, Aug. 28.—Cattle—Receipts [illegible],000; slow and a shade lower; shipping steers $[illegible]@[illegible]; stockers and feeders $2 [illegible]@3 40; cows $[illegible]@[illegible]; through Texas cattle a shade lower; Western rangers 11,000 received for the week; natives and half breeds $3 [illegible]@4 40; wintered Texans $[illegible] [illegible]5@3 60.

Hogs—Receipts [illegible],000; strong; good grades [illegible] higher; rough and mixed $[illegible]@4 [illegible]0; packing and shipping $4 [illegible]@[illegible]; light $3 75@4 80.

Sheep—Receipts 1,300; steady; natives $1 [illegible]@[illegible]; Texans $1 [illegible]@[illegible]; lambs $[illegible].

BOSTON WOOL MARKET

BOSTON, Aug. 28.—There has been a fair demand for wool the past week and sales of all kinds foot up [illegible] [illegible]00 pounds. There is very little change in prices. The market for California wool has been quiet and prices are unchanged. Sales of Oregon were made at [illegible]c to [illegible]c.

NEW YORK MARKETS

NEW YORK, Aug. [illegible].—Wheat opened [illegible]c [illegible], [illegible]c October, [illegible]c November. At noon [illegible] August, 8[illegible]c September, [illegible]c October, [illegible] November. Closed [illegible]c September, [illegible] November.

[illegible]

NEW YORK, Aug. [illegible].—[illegible] steady [illegible]

Foreign Markets

BEERBOHM'S GRAIN REPORT

LONDON, Aug. [illegible].—Weather in England brilliant; [illegible] [illegible] coast [illegible] offering [illegible] steady; arrivals [illegible] English and French country markets steady.

PARIS, Aug. [illegible].—Spot wheat and flour [illegible] easier.

LIVERPOOL GRAIN MARKET

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 28.—Wheat dull; [illegible] new [illegible] winter [illegible] spring [illegible] dull; holders [illegible] [illegible]

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

[illegible]

Ship Henry Villard, [illegible] with a wheat cargo, has arrived out [illegible] a passage of 1[illegible] days.

Bktne Tam O'Shanter arrived at San Pedro [illegible] inst. from Knappton.

The sailing date of the Rothesay Bay from [illegible] is July 2[illegible].

Steamer Wildwood, burned at Olympia last year, has been rebuilt and named Galena. She will be commanded by Capt Jensen, formerly of the Rip Van Winkle.

Br bark Henry James sailed from San Pedro [illegible]th inst. for this port.

Capt Levi Simmons, at one time in command of the collier Walla Walla, died at San Francisco the [illegible]d inst.

Grace & Co.'s Valparaiso circular, dated July 10, states that guano freights were expected to open in a few days, but there was reason to believe the rate would be [illegible]s [illegible]d less than previously offered, owing to low freights for other products. Nitrate freights were dull at £1 2s 6d U. K. for handy iron. There was no inquiry for wheat ships. The [illegible] previously reported chartered was so seriously injured during the norther on June 11 that she was condemned and would be sold.

A Yokohama letter of July 10 said a vessel would soon be dispatched with tea for Tacoma.

DOMESTIC PORTS

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 28.—Arrived—Str Oregon (12 m.), Portland; Br ship New York, Departure bay; Br ship Lake Ontario, Sydney; str San Pedro, Tacoma. Sailed—Br ship Strathearn, Cork; str Mariposa, Honolulu and Sydney.

ASTORIA, Aug. 28.—Br bark Dunelm left out ward 6 A. M. and passed out 8 A. M.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 29.—Arrived—Br ship [illegible], Victoria; ship Francis, Nanaimo; ship Dashing Wave, Tacoma; bkt Webfoot, Columbia river; bkt Portland, Shoalwater bay; schr Novelty, Grays Harbor; brig Percy Edwards, Guayaquil; str Wellington, Departure bay; str Alki, Coos bay. Sailed—Br bk Lady Lampson, Honolulu; ship [illegible], Tacoma; str Yaquina City, Yaquina bay.

PORT TOWNSEND, Aug. 29.—Arrived—Nor bk Alert.

PORT GAMBLE, Aug. 28.—Sailed—Swe bk Atlantic, Melbourne; bk Fresno, San Francisco.

ASTORIA, Aug. 29.—Str Columbia arrived down [illegible]40 A. M. and left out 11 A. M. Str State of California arrived in 2 40 A. M., left up at 4 15 P. M. [illegible] schooner arrived in this A. M.

FOREIGN PORTS

QUEENSTOWN, Aug. 28.—Arrived—Ship Henry Villard, Portland, 1[illegible] days out.

LETTER LIST

Remaining in the postoffice at Portland, Oregon, Aug. [illegible] 1886. Persons calling for these letters will please state the dates on which they are advertised.

WOMEN'S LIST

[illegible] Mrs [illegible]
[illegible] Mrs A J
Arnold Miss Emma J
Andr[illegible] Mrs H
[illegible] Juliet
Anderson Miss A

[illegible] Mrs Emma
Brett Mrs Cornelius
Burnett Miss Minni
[illegible] Miss Ella
Brown Mrs Geo
[illegible] Miss Bell
[illegible] Mrs Lena
[illegible] Mrs Lucy
[illegible] Miss Nel
Baker Mrs Kate
[illegible]
[illegible] Miss Eva

Cameron Mrs J [illegible]
Cox Mrs J [illegible]
Collier Mrs Annie
Cook Miss Edna
Cornell Mrs [illegible]
Cole Miss Ella
Cronin Katl
Childs Bridget
Chapman Mrs N
Chle Mrs C W
Chitwood Mrs Dr J
Cameron Helen I
Campbell Jennie
Cahill Mrs Lara

D[illegible] M[illegible]
Darr[illegible] Theresa

Edwards Miss Bertha L
Ellison Mrs Mattie
Elvinger Miss Ella

Fisher Mrs Dr Annie M
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NEWS OF THE NORTHWEST.

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UMATILLA COUNTY.

Mrs W. H. Andros, of Summerville, fell from a step ladder, one day last week, breaking both bones of her arm just above the wrist.

Weston *Leader*: W. W. Brannin, of Foster, will realize this year $500 from his broom-corn crop. Its a wonder more broom-corn is not raised in Umatilla county, as it grows well, pays better than wheat and is easy to cultivate.

On the stock ranch of J M Bentley, in the mountains south of Pendleton, a quartz mine has been found. Several pieces of the rock have been taken to Pendleton and found to contain gold in paying quantities. Great excitement prevails. Our amiable sheriff is afraid they will ruin his range by digging up the ground.

The Indians on the Umatilla reservation are fast following in the steps of the white man and devoting considerable of their time to the raising of wheat. There was a larger quantity of wheat raised on the reservation this year than ever before. The yield was light, but the acreage was very large—about 18,000 acres.

A midnight intruder went to the residence of Mrs Emma Evans, near Echo, recently and demanded admittance. On being refused, he attempted to raise her bedroom window, but received for his pains a shot from a pistol in the hands of the plucky woman. Going away for a time he returned and repeated the attempt, saying that if he could get hold of her he would soon fame her. She then fired again and the intruder ran, leaving a small trail of blood, though it is thought he was not seriously hurt.

UNION COUNTY

A young man named Lockwood, working for A P Conley, near Cove, was run over and suffered a broken leg last Tuesday.

Randolph Chenoweth, a former resident of La Grande, died at Weston on the 16th inst., aged [illegible] years. He had been sick for a long time past, and his death was not unexpected.

While renovating the mill and taking up some wood work at Cove recently a wheat mine was discovered in the shape of 2[illegible]0 bushels of grain which had been dropping through the bins for no telling how long.

La Grande *Gazett*: There seems to be a difference of opinion in regard to the killing of Carpenter by his step son, Hamon, on Bully creek last week, some thinking it was an accident, while others think it was a cold blooded murder.

WASHINGTON TERRITORY

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The White river hop farmers are advertising for white labor to pick hops at $1 a box.

Court convenes in Seattle Monday, and at this term will be tried the indicted citizens for conspiracy.

A queer accident happened recently to a camper from Seattle at Alki point. One of the members of the party is a somnambulist, and while wandering about on the night of the [illegible] he awoke one of the sleepers, who became frightened, and in a wild plunge threw the sleep-walker on to a Mr. Smith, one of whose ribs was broken by the person falling on him.

STEVENS COUNTY

The tax levy for the year in the county is 1[illegible] mills.

Liquor licenses have been placed at $200 per annum throughout the county.

The taxpayers of Stevens county are to vote on the proposition to levy an 8 mill tax to build a court house and fire-proof vault at Colville.

The body of an unknown white man was found on the banks of the Columbia river near Sheep creek. An Indian buried the remains.

The county commissioners have offered a reward of $50 for the discovery of the remains of a white man supposed to have been murdered in the county by Indians.

The authorities are going to stop the saloons at Old Fort Flat from selling liquors to Indians. This practice by saloon men is undoubtedly the cause of much trouble between Indians and whites.

WALLA WALLA

The other day Chas Bridge, in cleaning out a spring on his claim in sec. [illegible], t [illegible] n, range 11 e., killed forty-two rattlesnakes.

Whitman college has just received from its eastern solicitor, Rev. Dr. Barrows, $700, the last instalment of a fund for the erection of a young men's hall.

Married August 26th, at the residence of Rev P B Chamberlain, officiating clergyman, Miss Louise Howe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs Jasper Howe, to Chas Martin. Mr. and Mrs. Martin left on the evening train for Palouse junction, where the groom is in railroad service.

Journal: On the 11th inst. ex-Street Commissioner J B Brooks met ex-Rev J C Crisman on the steamer Geo E Starr en route from Victoria to Seattle. Mr Crisman said his name was Leslie, and that he never was in Walla Walla in his life. On the steamer's books he registered as Johnson. Mr Brooks saw Mrs Locke, who turned her face to the wall.

TACOMA

Byron A. Olson, aged 13, was thrown from a horse and had his arm broken.

The Tacoma Coal company have erected twelve coke ovens at Wilkeson, and will continue building until they have one hundred. The ovens have a capacity of one ton of coke per day.

An effort is being made to have a telephone line from Tacoma to Puyallup. Seven hundred dollars is the necessary sum. Puyallup has raised its half, but Tacoma, as usual, is considering the matter.

Among the last consignment of logs to the Tacoma mill by Millet & McKay are two specimens of the enormous timber grown on the sound. These were taken out by this firm on the Skagit river. Fourteen feet were cut from the end of these logs and moored at the end of the pile driver, which was rigged with double sheave blocks to hoist them out of the water to the wharf, whence they will be loaded on the cars and taken East for exhibition. One, a spruce, measured 104 inches through and took a man ten hours to saw it off. It is estimated to weigh about seven tons. The other, a fir, measured 80 inches.

SNOHOMISH COUNTY

The Snohomish river is lower than it has been for years.

A sturgeon was recently caught by Indians in the river near George Walker's place, which was eleven feet in length and weighed 600 pounds.

On the morning of the 1[illegible]th Morgan Williams was found dead in the field where he was at work on his father's ranch on the marsh south of town. It seems that he was taken with a fit, to which he was subject, and falling on his face, was smothered.

Snohomish *Eye*: On the evening of the 1[illegible]th John Berger killed a panther at Fiddler's bluff that measured five feet six inches from tip to tip. The animal was following Sime Elwell's little daughter through the field when one of his employes first saw it. The dogs soon had it treed and a bullet ended its career. It is supposed that they are being driven from the back woods by forest fires.

While Ben Morgan was out fishing at Morgan's mill, near Snohomish City, recently, he observed an animal in the brush which he took for a wildcat, and so he sent his dog after it. The animal, however, proved to be a cougar, which advanced on Morgan. In his desperation he screamed loudly and struck the animal in the face with his hat. The cougar fled. Morgan procured a gun and killed the animal, which measured five feet from tip to tip.

IDAHO

In Alturas county hogs are dying of cholera.

The average price paid for wool in Southern Idaho this year was 18 cents.

Eight fine horses were recently stolen from Payette valley. The owners gave chase to the thieves, and though the thieves got away the stock was recovered.

The sheep interests in southern Idaho have increased so rapidly during the past few years as to seriously interfere with some of the ranges heretofore occupied exclusively by horses and cattle.

A co-operative association has been formed at Salmon City for the purpose of establishing a flour mill at that place. The officers are: H Dunbar, president; G. Steele, vice president, and L. Olstead, treasurer.

Col George L. Shoup, of Salmon City, Lemhi county, and ex-Marshal Fred T. Dubois, of Blackfoot, Bingham county, are mentioned by the Boise *State[illegible]* as two prominent candidates for nomination as delegate to congress.

Boise *Statesman*: Apostle John W. Taylor was arrested at Pocatello, on the 17th, by Deputy U. S. Marshal C. J. Bassett, on a warrant issued by U. S. Commissioner J. C. House, charging Taylor with inciting a rebellion against the laws of the United States in Idaho.

On account of an appearance of accident, a coroner's inquest was held over the remains of Joseph G. Shissler, one of the oldest and wealthiest citizens of Nez Perce county, I. T., who died near his home on Lake Waha, the 21st inst. The verdict was that he came to his death from cerebral appoplexy. Mr. Shissler was a California 49'er and went to Idaho in 1862. His brother Louis Shissler is a prominent lawyer at Chicago.

What is evidently a portion of the petrified tusk of a mastodon was found by H. H. Grigg in a mine, thirty miles below Blackfoot, on the Snake river. The Blackfoot *Reporter* says the tusk was exhumed a distance of twelve feet below the surface. Both ends are decayed but the centre remains intact. It is four inches and a half in diameter at its thickest part, and the remains are five feet three inches in length, and almost a semi circle in form. Judging from its proportions it must have been originally nine or ten feet in length.

TERRITORIAL POLITICS

Clarke county delegation is uninstructed, but their first choice is Ezra Meeker.

The Lewiston *News* says that Voorhees's nomination is equivalent to an election.

The democrats have nominated W. K. Busey for joint representative from Lincoln, Douglas, Franklin and Adams counties.

At the republican primaries of Spokane Falls 630 votes were cast. At the democratic primaries, held two weeks ago, 113 votes were cast.

At the convention held in Lincoln county the thirteen delegates elected to the republican territorial convention were instructed for Ezra Meeker as delegate to congress.

The *Post Intelligencer* mentions the following as probable candidates as delegates to congress before the republican convention: John I. Gowey, of Olympia; Ezra Meeker, of Puyallup; W. C. Squire, R. S. Greene and T. T. Minor, of Seattle; C. M. Bradshaw, of Port Townsend, and T. H. Brents, of Walla Walla.

NEWSPAPER TALK

The La Grande *Gazette* has begun the sixth year of its existence.

D. C. Ireland will begin issuing the *Daily Reporter* in McMinnville September 1st. It will appear every day except Sunday.

The *Times-Mountaineer*, of The Dalles, commenced a new volume last week. It ably represents the interests of Wasco county.

J. B. Filburn, formerly of the *Standard*, and H. C. Hewitt, of Albany, are going to establish the *Daily Evening Herald* (democratic) in this city.

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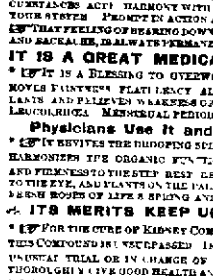

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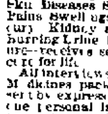

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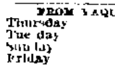

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Thursday	Sept. 2	Wednesday	Sept. 8
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Columbia, Thursday	Aug 1[illegible]	State, Wednesday	Aug 18
State, Sunday	Aug [illegible]	Oregon, Saturday	Aug 21
Oregon, Wednesday	Aug 25	Columbia, Tuesday	Aug 24
Columbia, Saturday	Aug 28	State, Friday	Aug 27
State, Wednesday	Sept. 1	Oregon, Monday	Aug 30
Oregon, Saturday	Sept. 4	Columbia, Friday	Sept. 3
Columbia, Thursday	Sept. [illegible]	State, Wednesday	Sept. 8
State, Tuesday	Sept. 1[illegible]	Oregon, Monday	Sept. 13
Oregon, Sunday	Sept. 1[illegible]	Columbia, Saturday	Sept. 1[illegible]
Columbia, Friday	Sept. [illegible]	State, Thursday	Sept. [illegible]
State, Wednesday	Sept. [illegible]	Oregon, Tuesday	Sept. 2[illegible]

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